Saga '48

Have good luck in the future
Sandra Stalcup

See Buddy
"Good Luck"

Good of Luck
in your future
yours
"Dianne"
"SF"

Lots of Luck
Dick Emory

Lots of luck
Carolyn Bedford

Good luck
Mary Ann

Good luck
Hilda Weh

"Dear Dianne,
I hope you never
make a mistake
as to choose a career
like that of the boys
Dear Dianne
Good luck, Dianne
Carol Walker

GEN

good luck to
a-real cute
gal
Don
Bodenhot

Good Luck
Donna
Long
"5'2" bust"

Joan Durant

Best of luck to a
swell kid! I'll bet
you win!
Joe
Brian

Best of luck
Bob
Bucio

Best of luck to
a fine girl
Bob McCollum

Good Luck to
a real fine
girl
Frank Bonine

Good Luck to
a swell girl
Ed Bonine

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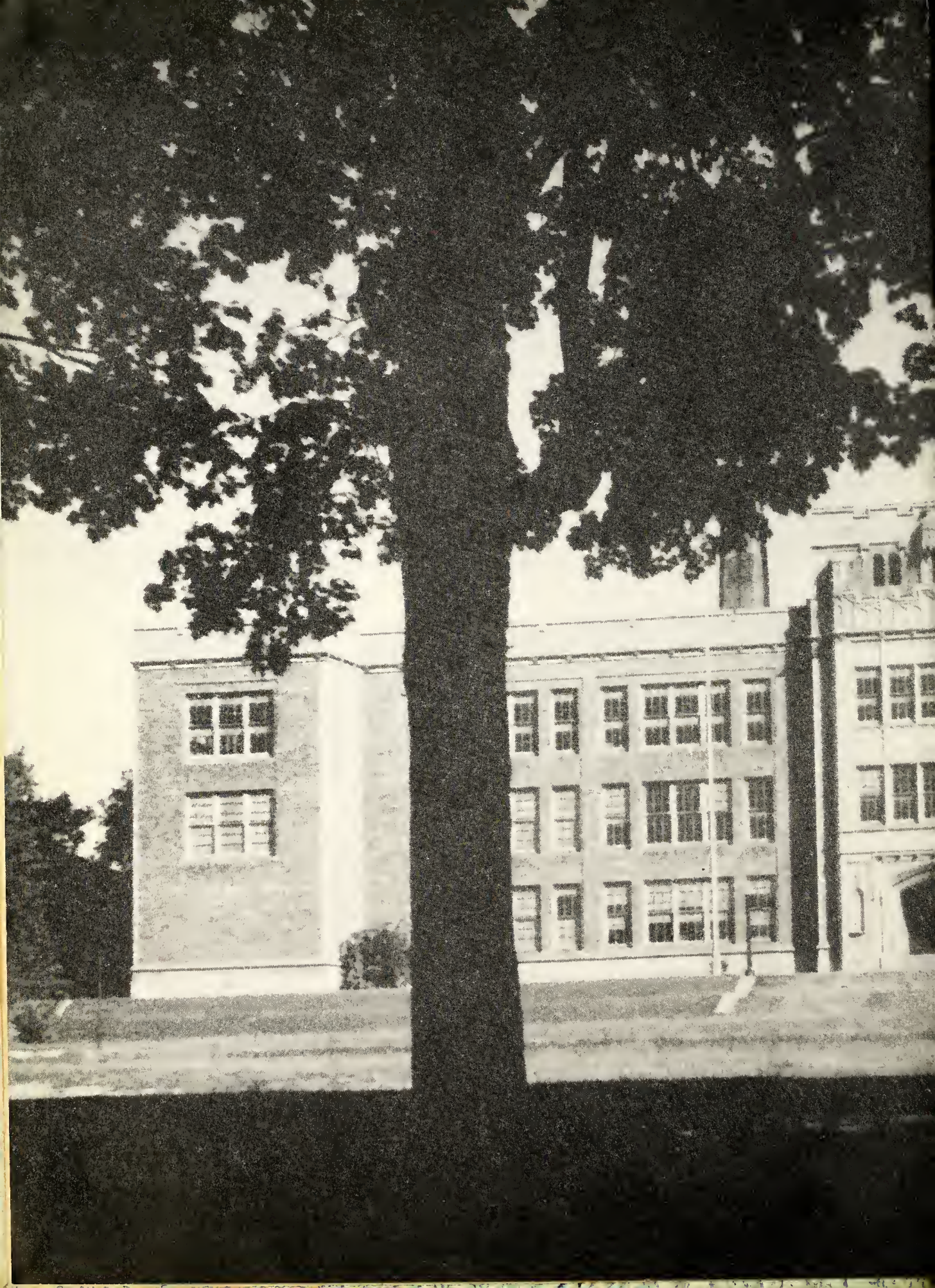


YOUR '48 Saga has a theme suggested by the government of our country. Here you see the seat of the government, our school. Farther on you will find the president, his cabinet, the Senate, the Representatives, and special committees. Our school system is very much like our government, and, as you can see, we are all a very important part of it. Now we, in this foreword to the 1948 Saga, review for you what you and your classmates do for this system.

Dedication

We dedicate this, the 1948 Saga, to Mr. Harold Carlyon. In his dignified way he has taken on the heavy duties that fall to the school treasurer and ticket manager. All the headaches that go with tickets for the Senior Play, Junior Revue, and One Act Plays are his. Another of his duties is driving a school bus to and from Creston every day. We extend to Mr. Carlyon our thanks for the wonderful job he has done in the past years.

The President and His Staff

Our President; Mr. Howard Wickett

Every good government needs a President. The President of the Commonwealth of Creston High School, Mr. Howard Wickett, has presided over the destinies of Creston High for twelve years.

President Wickett was not born in a log cabin like Abraham Lincoln, but was born in Decatur, Michigan. He is an alumnus of the University of Michigan and had several happy months following the fortunes of Michigan's wonderful football team last fall.

Before his election to his present post, President Wickett served as Superintendent of Schools in Marlette, Michigan for four years. Another high office he held was that as instructor at South High School for eleven years. Our President also taught for three years at Sparta, Michigan, as Science instructor and athletic coach. We are lucky to have such a person at the head of our Commonwealth.

Our efficient Presidential secretaries are Miss Ruth Yokum and Mrs. Barkley. They very capably handle all official correspondence.

The President's secretaries; Miss Yokum and Mrs. Barkley.

Feverish activity in the President's outer office marks the end of each term.

The Bosses and Their Constituents

Mr. Jay J. Rens standing among the Seniors in session room 36.

Our debate and government teacher, **Mrs. Caroline Glenn** with one of her classes.

Foods class with one of our new teachers, **Miss Myra Joan Mulder.**

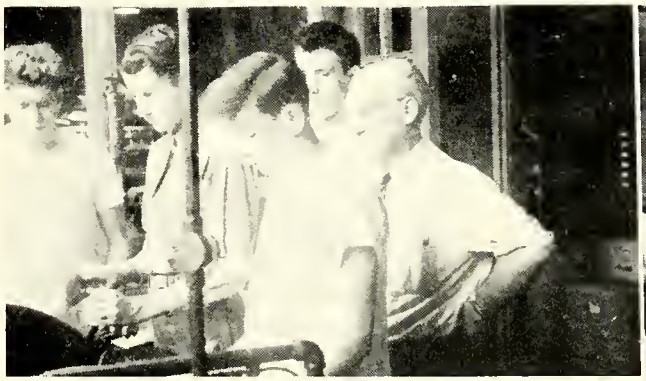
Mr. Walter Wood reading one of Janet Sweet's chemistry experiment reports.

A student being coached in special public speaking by **Miss Lois Conrad.**

Miss Mildred Tenhaaf with the juniors in session room 136.

Miss Francis Kilstrom teaching out-of-door sports.

Miss Harriet Daniels among the students of session room 220.

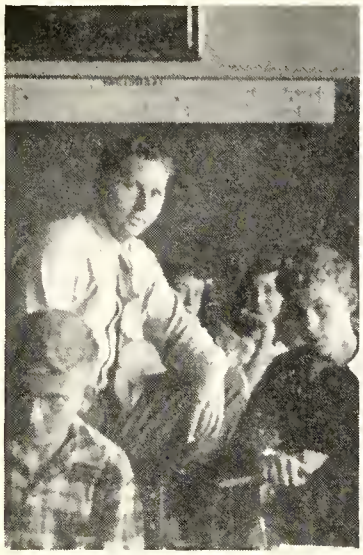


Problems of the printshop being studied by **Mr. Norman C. Tock** and his students.

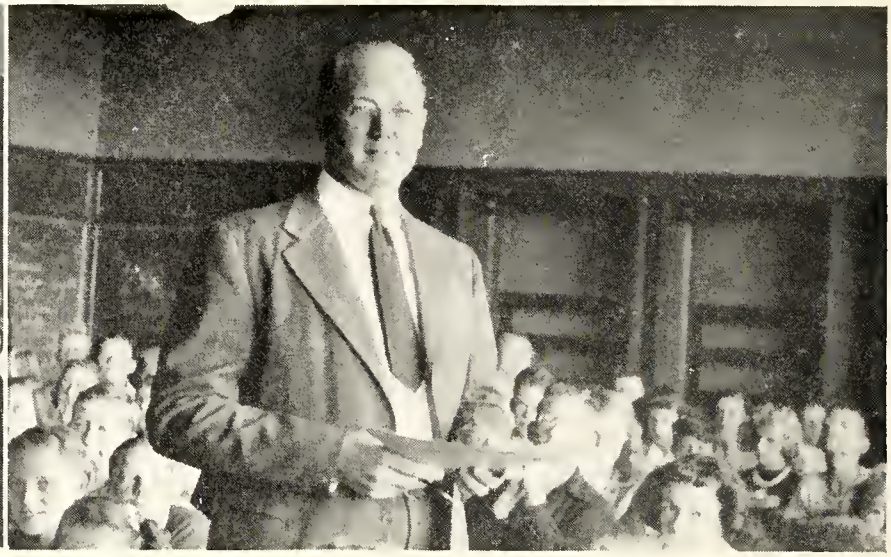
The foreign language, Latin, being explained by **Mrs. Sadie Stowell.**

Miss Frances Maloney and her students of session room 232.

A class taught by **Miss Marguerite Eness,** typing and Spanish teacher.

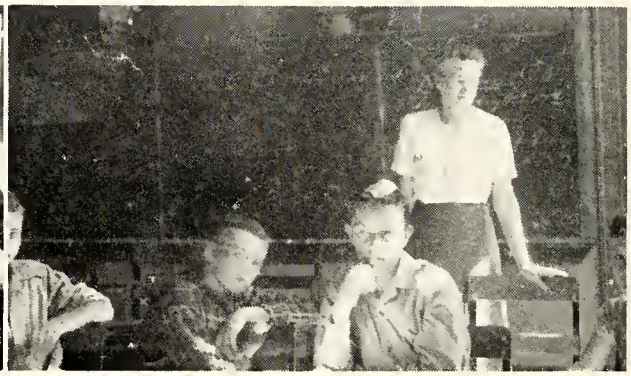


Mr. Andrew Hanson standing informally in the midst of one of his math classes.



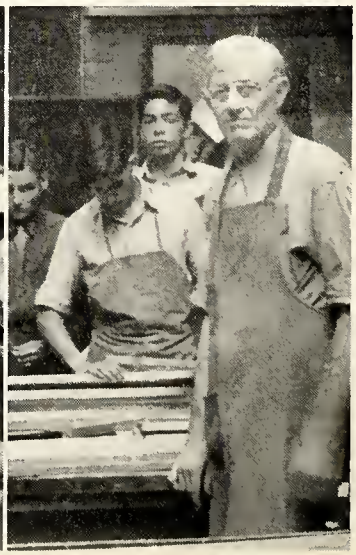
Morning roll call is taken in session room 118 by **Mr. William Haken.**

Modern artistic principles are explained by **Miss Francis Lanke.**



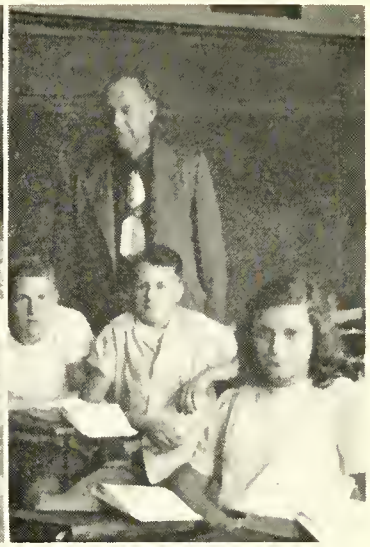
An eighth grade English class as taught by **Miss Hallie John** on the sunny side of the building.

Miss Esther Wise surrounded by the students of session room 218.

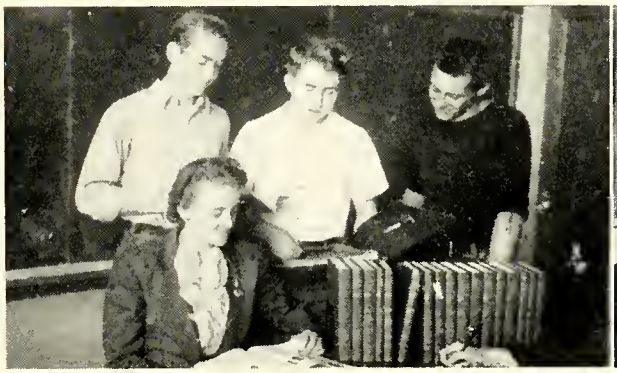


Woodshop is taught by **Mr. William Pease.**

Morning roll call in **Mr. Earl Knutson's** session room, No. 116.



Mr. Henry Schrump's civics I class met during the 4th hour.

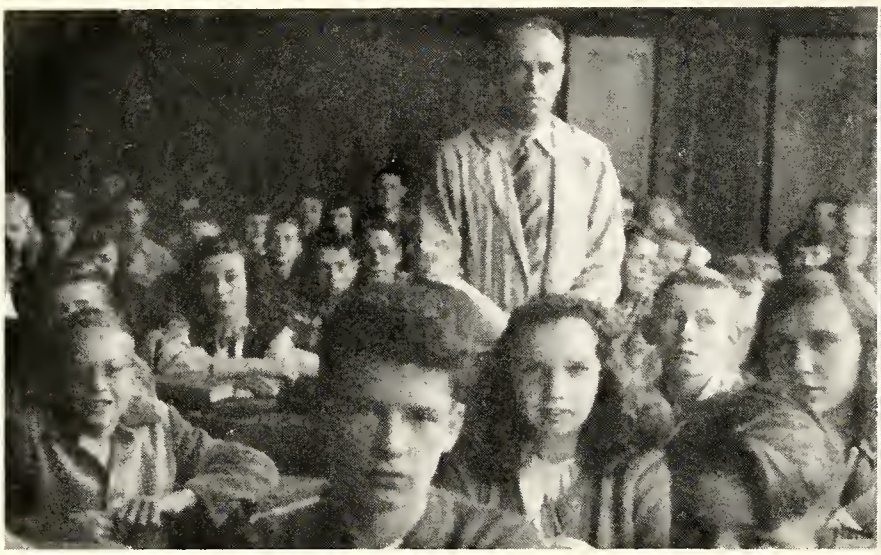


Help in trigonometry is given by **Miss Marjorie Mathews** to a few seniors.

Personal regimen class with **Miss Cornelia Moran**, who also has charge of our cafeteria.

Miss Ruth Phillips stitching a a seam for Luanne Mieras.

The students of session room 230 with their instructor, Miss **Dorothy Lawyer.**



With his students of session room 202, stands **Mr. John Van Krimpen**, who also heads our Echo staff.

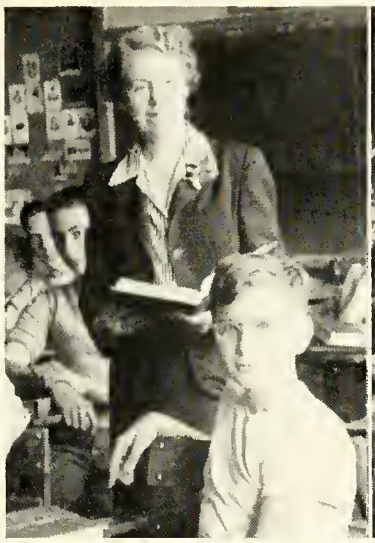
Ninth grade pupils develop a knowledge of civics, which is taught by **Mr. Paul Bowersox.**

Miss Doris Dunham inspiring her history students.

Advising her English pupils, is **Miss Louise Verdier.**

History becomes a fascinating story when recounted by **Miss Marie Van Westenbrugge.**

Mr. Robert Linden of session room 236 finds some are absent from morning roll call.



The history teacher, **Miss Dorothy Bean,** among her pupils.

Miss Louise Biddle and seventh grade students of session room 20.

Miss Kathryn Lock's mathematic class is writing a test.

The joy of art is proclaimed by **Miss Lorraine Adams.**

Another day of school starts for **Mr. Raymond O'Malley** and the students of session room 130.

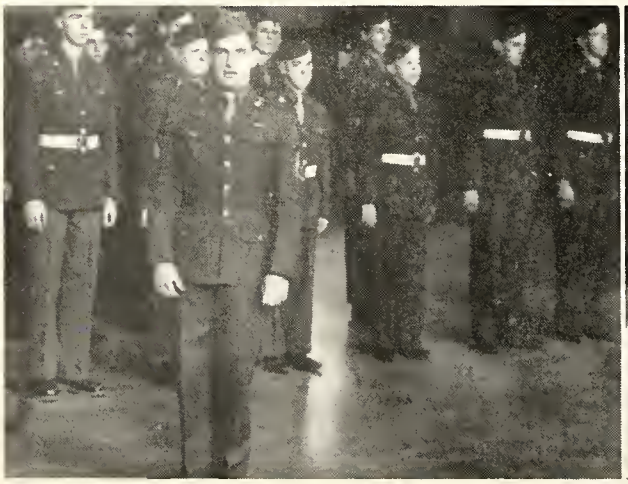
Miss Mary Windt, history teacher, shows where "X marks the spot."

A commercial arithmetic class with energetic **Mr. Martin Van Wingen,** who had trouble standing still long enough to have his picture taken.

Mr. Edwin Fredrickson, machine shop instructor, and a student visiting with **Miss Harriet Gleason,** student advisor.

Miss Jennie James taking her turn at study hall duty.

Mr. Emery Toogood and Bob Hamacher facing the camera from a lettering class.



Sargent Barrett standing at attention with the R.O.T.C.

Clothing students seeking **Miss Rosetta Weiffenbach's** approval of their material.

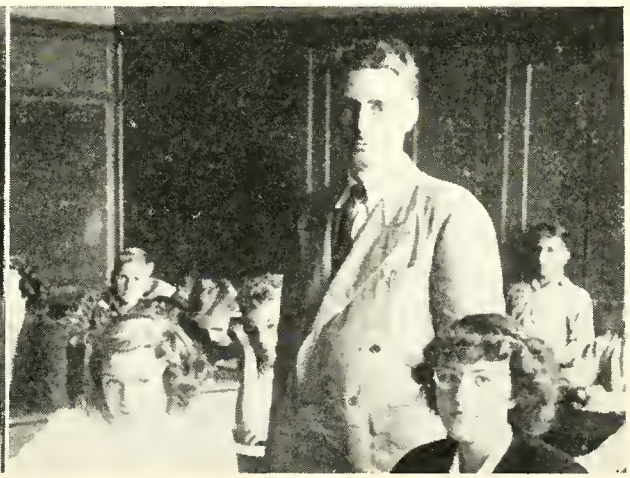
Miss Evelyn Adams and her pupils working out activities in her fourth hour class.

The woodwind section of the orchestra listening to **Mr. Joel Lowe's** instructions.

Coach and gym instructor, **Mr. Gilbert Powers**, sitting one out in one of his classes.

Mrs. Margaret Timmer giving assistance to pupils in her English class.

A student having a book checked out by **Miss Eugenia Schmitz**, our librarian.



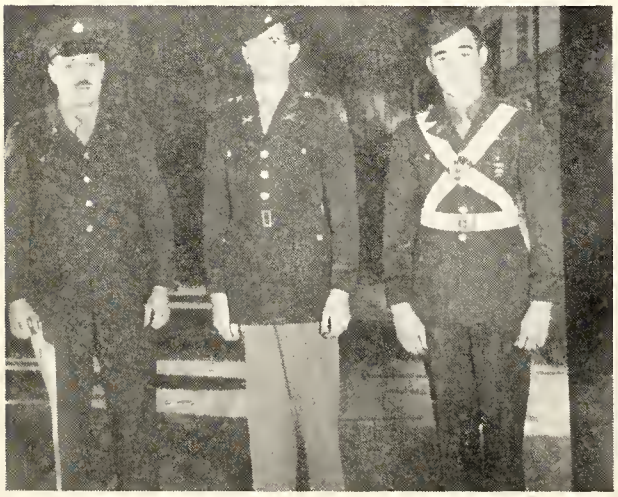
Mr. Harold Carlyon instructing a class in algebraic equations.

Miss Rita Lally listening to the busy typists in her fourth hour typing class.

Mr. Gerrit Wassenaar overseeing a science class

Mrs. Ora Chervenka instructs one of her classes in English.

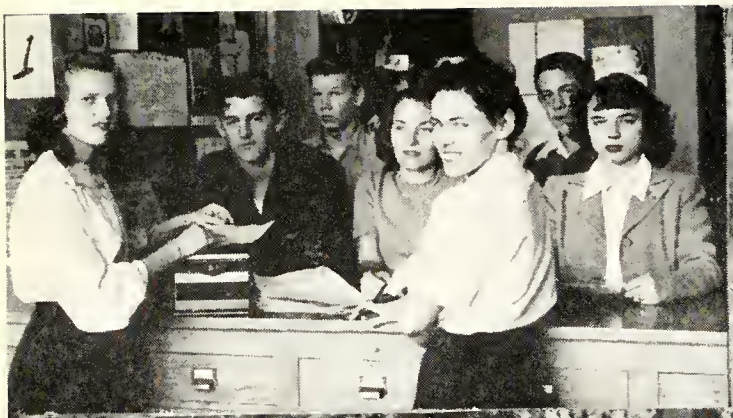
A music class instructed by our choir director, **Mr. Frank Goodwin.**



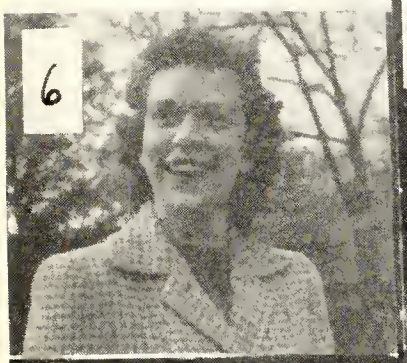
Sargeant Conard, Captain Rolands and **Captain Chesebrough.**

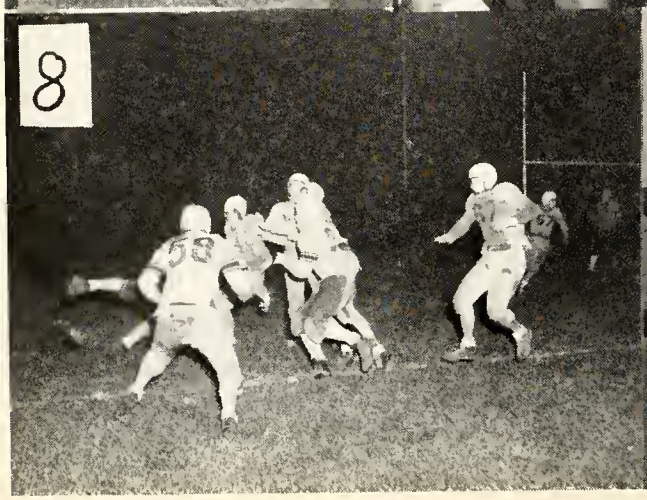
Miss Cleo Wood checking one of her English student's notebooks.

1. Homeward Bound. 2. The Death March. 3. He's got it, But? 4. Must be interesting. 5. Gee, we didn't mean to! 6. Come on Gang. Yell! 7. Future Seniors. 8. Smile Pretty. 9. The wonder box.

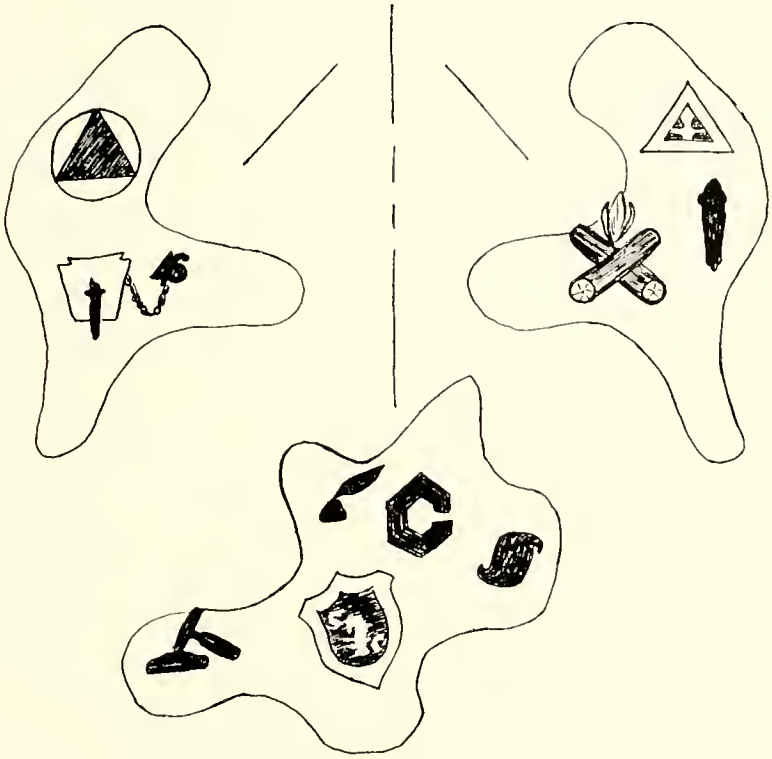


1. The Office Girls. 2. Three Musketeers. 3. Is it a hit? 4. It won't hurt, Dave. 5. Guess who? 6. Hold that pose! 7. Working hard? 8. Play ball! 9. Watcha selling, Donna? 10. A good one, Rus.





Official Clubs



Distinguished Service

The Senior Honor Society, sponsored by Miss Cleo Wood, has again worked to stimulate the intellectual interests of the students of Creston.

In the Fall, the Society filled the showcases in the front hall with United Nations posters and articles to further the understanding of that organization. A noon dance was their money-making project for the year.

In June, they again gave the traditional tea to welcome the new members into the organization.

Officers heading the group were: President, Jack Foster; Vice-President, Joyce Fritch; Secretary, Bonnie McAllister; and Treasurer, Eldon Klaassen.

The small number of people represented here are in the Senior Honor Society. First row: Margaret Andrews, Joan Jackson, Joyce Fritch, Virginia Duiker, Miss Wood. Second row: Eldon Klaassen, Judy Toft, Jack Foster, Sharon Blasing, Bonnie McAllister, Joyce Dryer. Absent: Helen Houser.

Historians and Reporters

Quill and Scroll is a National Honor Society for those on the publication staffs. They receive a magazine published for that organization. This club has been in existence for a short time only at Creston High School. The National Society conducts a critical rating service for publications like our Saga and Echo. Each candidate must be elected from the Echo or Saga staffs.

First row: Mr. Van Krimpen, Virginia Duiker, Bonnie McAllister, Donna Lee Robinson. Second Row: Eleanor Wilde, Inge Wolff, Suzane Stegmier.

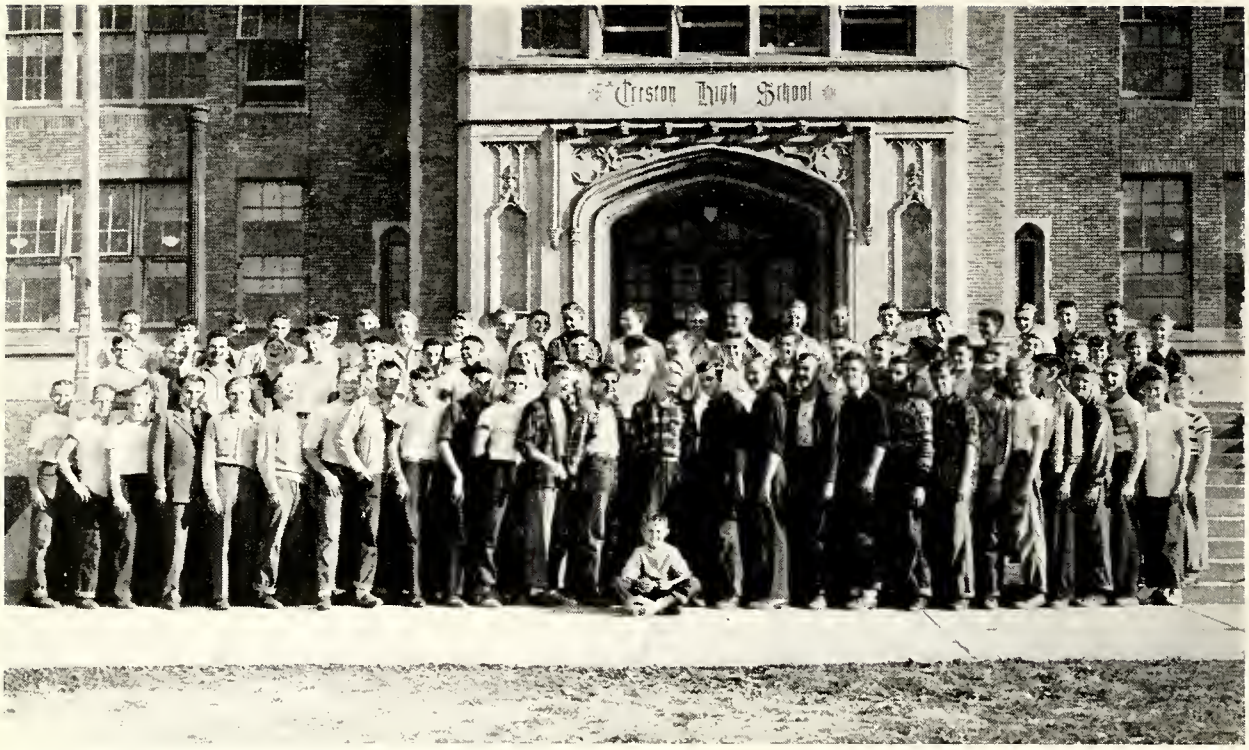
1st row: Left to right: Robert Ter Molen, Ronald Coleman, Joyce Townsend, Donna Danne, Karen Pressler, Jane Whitworth, Joyce Nussdorfer, Fred Trieber, Beverly McDermott, Lucille Osenga, Pat Harding, Gene Morrison, Donald Veltman, Shirley Morrison, Delores Blaszark, Delores Beerthuis. 2nd row: Left to right: Harry Smith, Joyce Sierveld, Mary Neitherfer, Jane Richards, Jacquilene Reed, Nancy Brabb, Pat O'Harrow, Patsy Smith, Barbara Tanenbaum, Arlene Keith, Virginia Clark, Lois Udell, Norma Veltman, Beatrice Vander Velde. 3rd row: Left to right: Jack Tamboer, Marilyn Millard, Carolyn Bruce, Doris Lower, Mildred Fonger, Marjorie McDowl, Daniel Cornell, Paul DeLieuw, Lyle Linden, Pat Groenland, Marilyn Remes, Helen Huber, Suzanne Musser, Delores McKee. 4th row: Left to right: Mr. Linden, Richard Kipping, Pat Jackson, Douglas O'Brien, Roger DeGraff, Francis Truckle, Bertha Houston, Margaret Vander Molen, Danny Stevenson, Roger Wilkins, James Mohreg, Marlyne Linkfield, Roger DeVries, Mickey Ten Hoor, John Vanderveen.

The Young Legion of Honor

Again this year under the able leadership of Mr. Linden, the Junior Honor Society has given paddle pop sales and donut sales for the purpose of raising money for the Saga and our membership pins.

The officers for the club this year were Pres. Bob Ter Molen, Vice Pres. Shirley Morrison, Sec. Jane Whitworth, and Lyle Linden as Treasurer.

Jane Whitworth, Shirley Morrison, Lyle Linden, Robert Ter Molen.



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Lobbyists and Propagandists

To start the year off with a bang the largest HI-Y club that Creston ever had put on a new and different pep assembly. In this assembly the whole school took part and not only will the posters long be remembered but the echoes of the many cheers will never die out in the corridors at Creston.

Giving Thanksgiving baskets, selling paddle pops at basketball games, showing noon movies, putting on dances and visiting churches were some of the activities which made this club one of the most outstanding at school.

The club became affiliated with the National Hi-Y and participated in meetings at the local "Y" in which several outstanding speakers were heard.

The Hi-Y had a first class basketball team.

To end a perfect year in grand spirit the annual initiation was held in which everyone, including the candidates had a barrel of fun.

Above: B. Ozinga, J. Rose, J. Lewis, and E. Kelly helping deliver the Thanksgiving baskets.

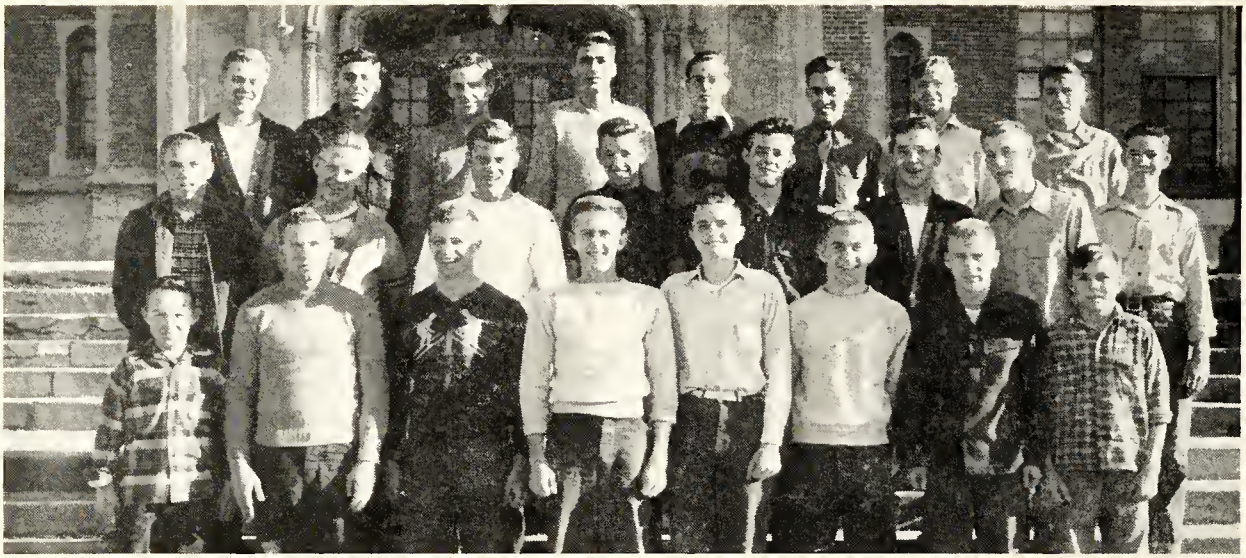
Right: The officers of the 1947-1948 Hi-Y were, left to right: Ed Keegstra, Sec.; Jack Rose, Pres.; John Ten Have, Treas.; and Howard Miner, Vice-Pres.

Above: the "A" squad of the Hi-Y Basball team.

Top, right: The Hi-Y Basketball Squad in the shower room after a hard won victory.

Right: The Hi-Y Basketball Team, Squad "B".

Below: An informal gathering of a few members of the Hi-Y.



Front row: B. Ter Molen, A. Rasikas, J. Rose, J. Waltz, R. De Vries, B. Vance, E. Klaassen, R. Carpenter.
Second row: B. Vogt, B. Doane, D. Stegman, J. Babb, J. Gravelyn, J. Gravelyn, C. Bruce, C. Fisher.
Third row: H. Miner, K. Bruder, B. Loomis, J. Olson, E. Higgins, N. Chesebrough, B. Roest, M. Boylen.

Warriors of Proven Mettle

The purpose of the "C" club is to stimulate and further the interest in school athletics and to make clear the honor of earning a major "C" for high school activities.

To keep up tradition in wearing the major "C" this year's club made a revised set of rules. These rules were set up with the best intentions of the "C" club, not to hinder but to further school spirit and to make our varsity sweater something worth working for.

To follow through with an active year found the club operating a check room at basket ball games, showing noon movies for the benefit of the students at school and having their annual initiation in which everyone had a "Spanking Good Time."

As a final accomplishment the boys held a fun packed banquet to end a perfect year, as one of the most prominent clubs at Creston.

President Jack Rose, Vice-President Albert Rasikas, Secretary Roger Van Assen, Treasurer Dick Walsh.

Top: left to right: first row: Barbara Harroun, Beverly Davey, Pat Miller, Mary Neithefer, Beverly Irwin, Wanda Kryger, and Diolene Miller. Second row: Marion Meyers, Inge Wolff, Lois Huttinga, Alta Thompson, Dorothy Slocum, Glenna May Cummings, Marion Boerma, and Miss Schmitz. Third row: Nancy Brabb, Ruth Hall, Joanne Glaser, Jane Houston, Nan Cambier, Joanne Lundberg, Donna Francis, and Jane Reichenbach.

Library where All Congregate

Activities in this year's Library Club have been many.

Aside from working for an honor pin they have had initiations for their October meeting.

A book review was given to the club by Miss Cleo Wood on "The Avion My Uncle Flew" by Teilhek.

The "Book Week" assembly, one of the high-spots of the year, was given as a radio broadcast. Five students and one teacher were interviewed on the question, "For what purposes do you use the library?" Help was given by Mr. Lowe and Miss Wood. Miss Adams was the teacher interviewed.

A Christmas party was given at Nan Cambier's house for the girls in the club.

"Si" Biener was the speaker at the February meeting.

Center: Library Club members at work: Ruth Hall, Joanne Glaser, Mary Neithefer, and Shirley Cook.
Bottom: Mary Neithefer, Shirley Cook, Joanne Glaser, and Ruth Hall.

First row: Rosie Chance, Pat Bresnahan, Joyce Dryer, Susie Stegmier, Phyliss Richardson, Joan Lingenfelter, Donna Lee Robinson, Theo Cross. Second row: Jane Robinette, Pat Lease, Marilyn Miller, Joan Jackson, Gerry Klap, Marva Garter, Maxine Vander Honing, Jackie Brown, Miss Lawyer. Third row: Beverly Davey, Luanne Hendricks, Joan Harker, Judy Tott, Helen Houser, Marge De Neut, Phyllis Goudzwaard, Betty Cramer.

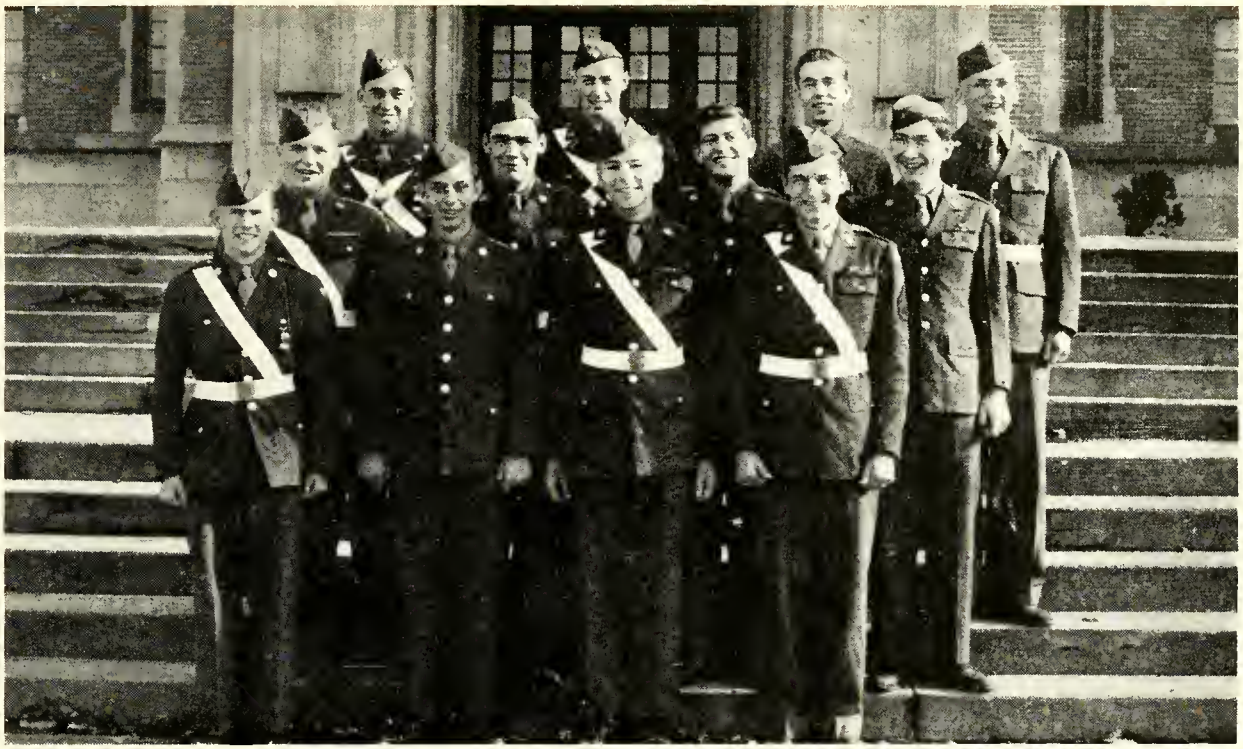
Friendly Ambassadors

As usual, the Amicita Club was the first to bring in the Yuletide spirit by presenting and trimming the Christmas tree in the front hall.

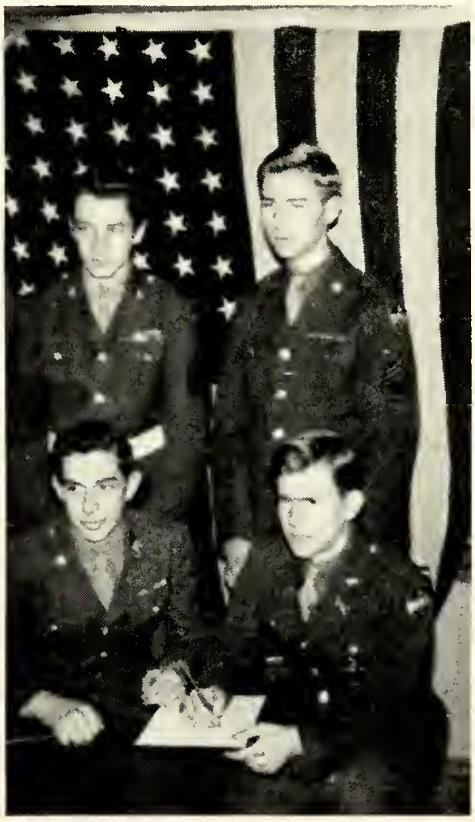
Our new members were informally initiated in the Fall at a Wiener roast. The formal initiation took place at a dinner at Crackle's. They elected Suzie Stegmier as President, Phyliss Richardson as Vice President, Joan Lingenfelter as Secretary, and Theo Cross as Treasurer.

Above: The club's officers.

Below: Properly dressed for their initiation.



First row: Don Courtright, Robert Misner, Charles Hornbeck, Ed Cole. Second row: Peter Houk, Bob Card, Sunny Stein, Martin Brown. Third row: Norman Cheesebourough, Gerry Watercamp, Dan Schiender, David Van Kammon.



The officers for this year were President Don Courtright, Vive President Ed Cole, Secretary Charles Hornbeck, Treasurer Bob Misner, and Sgt.-at-Arms Ray Brandt.

Officers of the Guard

The Bars and Chevrons Club is composed of officers and non-commissioned officers of the R. O. T. C. It is under the sponsorship of M/Sgt. Connard. The purpose of the club is to establish a mutual understanding between Junior and Senior officers. The club is trying a new system of having a court to hear cases of violations of R. O. T. C. regulations. The highlight of the year is the Military Ball which is sponsored jointly by the Bars and Chevrons Clubs throughout the city.

1st row: L. Blandford, O. Kaufman, J. Ascherman, M. Giles, Z. Hathaway, J. Kurtz, D. Perry, S. Dagen, M. Boerma, A. Twist, D. McKee, I. Wolff, P. O'Harrow, N. Babb, J. Barbarer, M. Russel, R. Coleman. 2nd row: E. Pennock, G. Klap, G. Morrison, J. Ranboer, B. TerKuerst, L. Linden, S. Schriber, B. Ocksonkehl, E. Klaassen, J. Sweet, C. Bursma, D. Vader, M. Jessup, M. Andrews, J. Whitworth. 3rd row: J. Phillips, S. Post, M. Seaburn, M. Crum, N. Jenkins, R. Davis, D. Cornell, B. De Vries, J. Lewis, M. De Nuet, R. Wilkins, D. Rozelle, R. Locke, C. DuBois, D. Veltman, D. Bridges. 4th row: S. Stowell, L. Verdier, P. Jackson, J. Toft, M. Linkfield, S. Steinport, P. Keegstra, J. Huston, A. Broekema, M. Vander Molen, R. Vecker, R. Kippen, R. Rademacher, C. Hornback, J. Foster, J. Winters.

Translation Staff

Mrs. Sadie Stowell and Mrs. Louise Verdier sponsor the Latin Club. Many cup-cake sales and noon dances were arranged for by the club.

The officers for the first semester were Pat Jackson, President; Gene Morrison, Vice President; Pat Keegstra, Secretary; Dorothy Vader, Treasurer.

Pictured at the left are Dorothy Vader, Pat Keegstra, Gene Morrison, Pat Jackson.

Front row: left to right: Bernadine Van Ess, Abbie Mayhew, Jean Warrenton, Phyllis Goudzwaard, Barbara Wheaton, Joan Harker, Betty Hynes, Gail Brillhart, and Patricia Miller. Second row: Gloria Collier, Virginia Powell, Corrine Vander Stolp, Geraldine Vander Breggen, Mary Rockwell, Yvonne Olson, Shirley Grewats, Verna Brunswick, and Miss James.

Official Trail Explorers

The Hikers' Club has forty-two members. They elected the following officers for the first semester: President, Gail Brillhart; Vice President, Patricia Miller; Secretary, Joan Harker; and Treasurer Betty Haynes. New officers were elected for the second semester.

Some of the activities of the Club were a corn-roast and a tractor-trailer ride at Gail Brillhart's, an initiation party and a weiner roast, also at Gail's; a Christmas party, a toboggan party, the Shamrock Shuffle; the Daffodil Prom, and many hikes. The Club members also collected ninety pounds of clothing for Europe.

Front row: Joyce Hoover, Yvonne Olson, Geraldine Vander Breggen, Pat Miller, Corrine Vander Stolp, Bernadine Van Ess, Evelyn Long, Francis Scott, Barbara Wheaton, Verna Brunsink, Sylvia Harris, Delores Ellis, and Shirley Grewats. Second row: Miss James, Betty Haynes, Jean Warrenton, Beatrice Laansma, Sylvia Wondergim, Marijane Stoutjesdyke, Marian Spangenberg, Mariam Byl, Elaine Alyea, and Mary Rockwell.

Latin American Contacts

The Spanish Club started this year's activity with an election of officers. The following were elected: President, J. Lingenfelter; Vice President, R. Wilemson; Secretary, A. Thompson; Treasurer, M. Wilson. The club had a Christmas party and held a fudge sale.

Amazing Amazons

The AB Club had a very successful year. Thirty girls received the All-City award, which requires three years of activity. Thirty-two girls received the letter "C" which requires two years of activity. Thirty-six received their numeral which requires one year of activity.

Tournaments in field ball, volley ball and indoor were played during the year. Donut sales and noon dances were given to earn money for guards on the All City pins.

Officers were: Pres., Barbara Montgomery; Vice Pres., Sue Stegmier; Sec., Marilyn Davis; Treas., Marge De Neut.

1st row: Delores Beerthuis, Mary Lyn Scott, Nancy Brabb, Shirley Van Portfliet, Reta Jean Rosel, Beverly Saunders, Barbara Tanenbaum, Joyce Nussdorfer, Jane Whitworth, Mary Lou Rozelle, Virginia Raper, Miss Kilstrom. 2nd row: Lorraine Riemersma, Evonne Thomas, Pat O'Harrou, Georgia Gunnett, Mariln Remes, Marolyn Crum, Marilyn Millard, Dorine Oom, Gail Kunkle, Karen Kardes, Ruth Davis, Oleta Kauffman. 3rd row: Anne Stinson, Nancy Seaburn, Norine White, Dorothy Otte, Bonnie Holwerda, Connie Loomis, Joan Lingenfelter, Joyce Huckleberry, Marjorie McDowl, Helen Huber, Dorothy Slocum, Jacqueline Graller. Not in picture: Mary Jane Jessup, Marilyn Linkfield.

1st row: Barbara Montgomery, Martha Russell, Beatrice Geldhof, Suzanne Stegmier, Jane Robinette, Ruth De Nise, Gail Brillhart, Bernadine Van Ess. 2nd row: Grry Gasar, Eljean Kinsley, Lou Ann Mieras, Gerry Klap, Arlene Mol, Margaret Andres, Joyce Dryer, Miss Kilstrom. 3rd row: Ardyth Anderson, Doris Geldhof, Joan Glaser, Joyce Fritch, Marge De Neut, Marilyn Davis, Beatrice Laansma. Not in picture: Mary Barnum, Verna Brunsink, Virginia Doiker, Charlene Gray, Lois Huttenga, Mary Rohr, Judy Toft, Ruth Hall. All City Group. A. B. Club.

Department of Health

1st row: Wanda Kryger, Dolores Glade, Mary Guiles, Mararet Hoeve, Pat Miller, Bonita Freas, Betty Lacey, Laura Blandford, Barbara Harroun, Miss Kilstrom. 2nd row: Dianne Perry, Carol Livingston, Shirlie Steinport, Norma Cambier, Joan Benedict, Carol Buursma, Mary Jane Jessup, Shirley Van Putten, Joan Kurtz, Janet Ascherman. 3rd row: Doris Rosel, Janet Sweet, Dorothy Drotar, Maxine Pratt, Ruth Weeber, Margaret Vander Molen, Betty Kremer, Alice Thompson, Joan Stuit, Margaret Treiber. Not in picture: Shirley Anderson, Joan Lingenfelter, Virginia Powell. Letters, A. B. Cub.

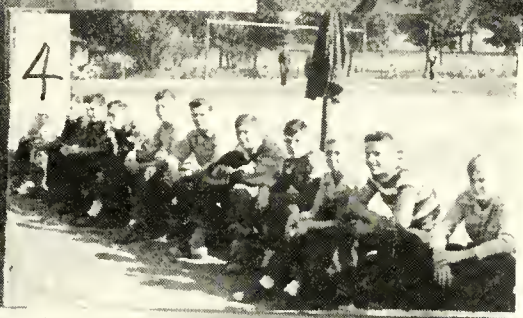
Distinguished Supporters

The P. T. A. has had a very successful year. The theme of the year was, "If Our World Is to Survive." Many citizens of the North End talked on the subject to the P. T. A. A Carnival was held in March with a large crowd attending. A Dads' Night and a tea in May rounded out the year.

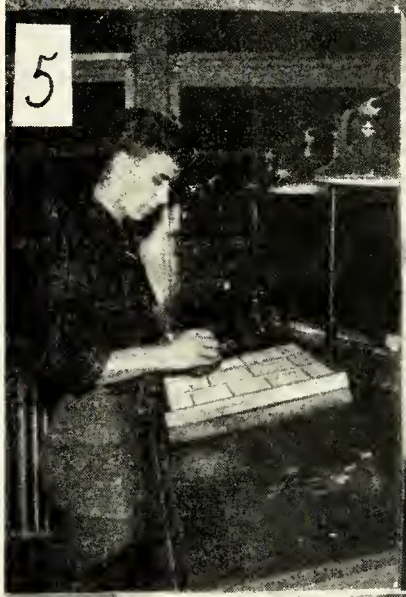
Above: Standing: Miss Moran, Miss James, Miss Lawyer, Mr. Blasing, Mr. Wood, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Rose, Mr. Knutson, Mrs. Visser, Mrs. Olson, Mrs. Erhart, Mrs. Sierveld, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Rozelle, Mrs. Robinson. Seated: Mr. Wickett, Mrs. Knutson, Mrs. Loomis, Mrs. Kuemmerle, Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Alberda, Mrs. Sweet.

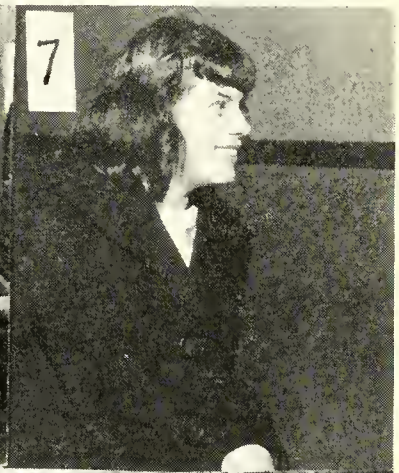
Vice-Pres., Miss James; Pres., Mrs. Loomis; Delegate to Council, Mrs. Sierveld; Vice-Pres., Mrs. Montgomery; Vice-Pres., Mr. Blasing.

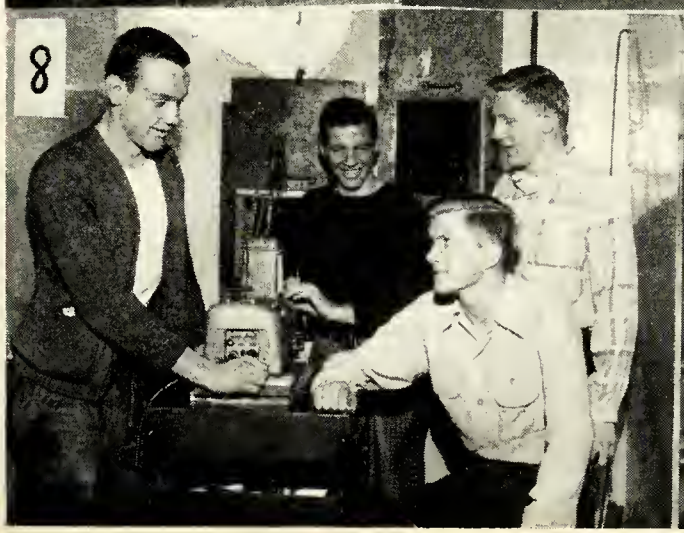
Left: Gerald Biener, former student of Creston High School, gave an interesting talk on "World Understanding" at the November 25th meeting of the P. T. A.



1. Like the weather? 2. Seniors all. 3. Who's got the ball? 4. Taking it easy. 5. Another one of Olson's talents. 6. Trophy case. 7. Our buddy, Steg. 8. Lookout! It bites. 9. Spanish Club initiation.

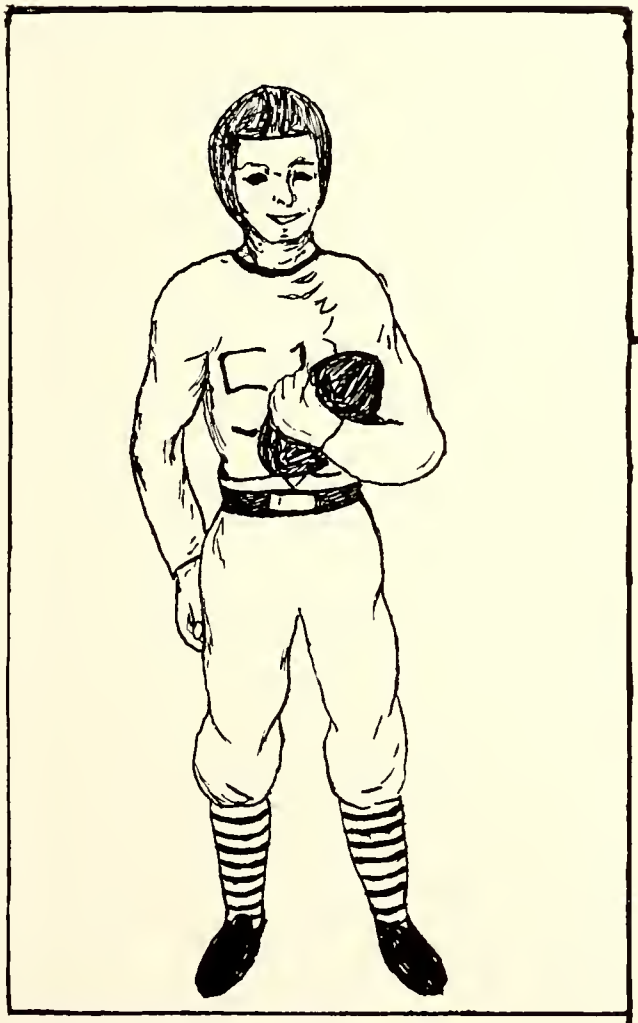


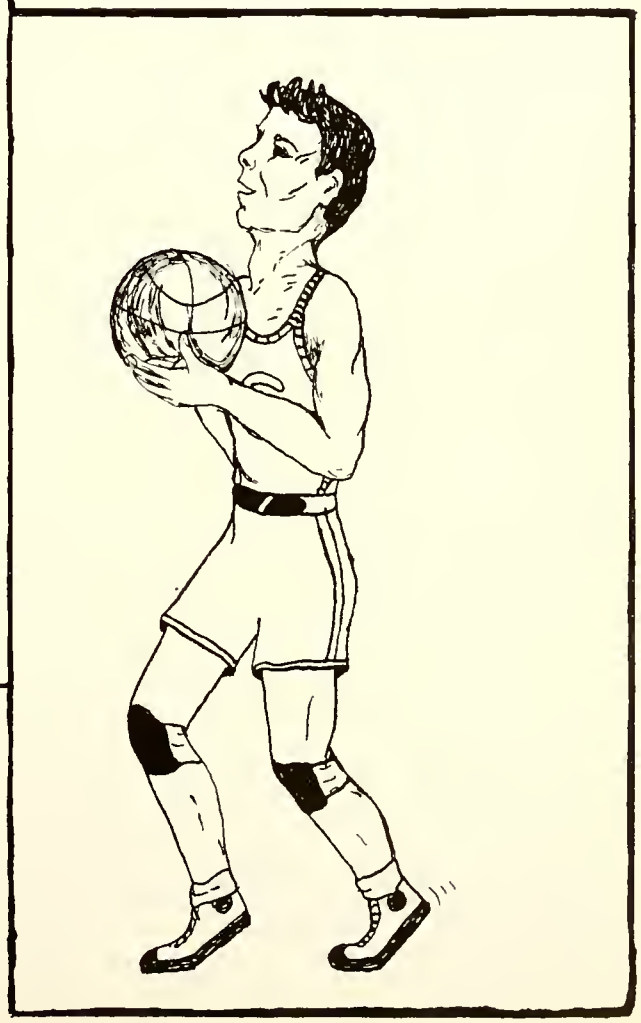


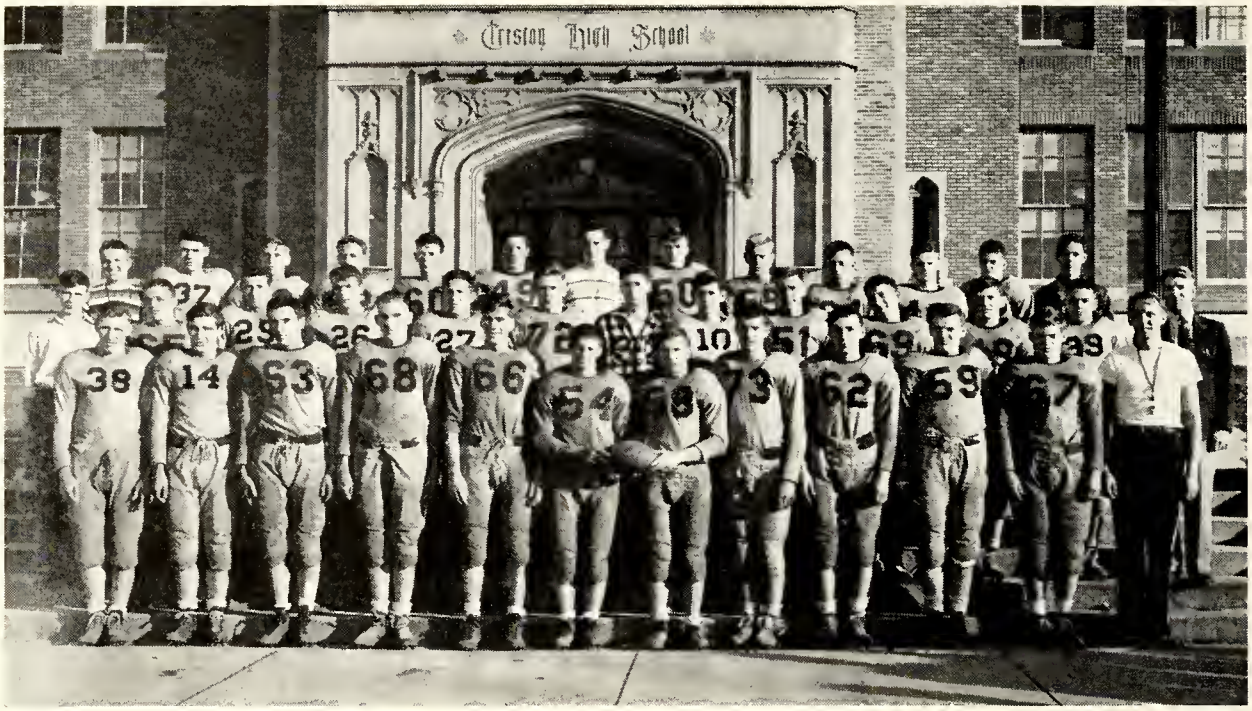


1. Fathers' Night. 2. Football Managers. 3. Waiting for an assembly. 4. The Three "C's". 5. Alma Mater. 6. Popular, isn't he? 7. Intermission. 8. Make it good! 9. Studying hard.

Shock Troops







Row 1: C. Goeree, R. Zoerner, D. Chandler, G. Ozinga, J. Olson, J. Rose, A. Rasikas, R. Gauger, J. Gravelyn, M. Otte, D. Stegman, Gil Powers. Row 2: J. Stoutjesdyk, G. Terpening, J. Babb, W. Miller, R. Uecher, H. Miner, C. Bruder, R. Despres, G. Stone, B. Hieshetter, J. Lane, R. Springer, Ed Frederickson. Row 3: N. Brown, B. Card, B. Vogt, J. Wilson, J. Lewis, B. Stroh, B. Loomis, M. Boylan, D. Walsh, B. Vance, T. Sierveld, R. Proos, D. De Young.

Co-Captains Jack Rose and Al Rasikas.

Polar Bear Football in '47

The Creston High gridiron story of 1947 was not very bright. Although they fought hard in every game, the breaks were against them. The best performances were displayed in the Holland, Muskegon Hts., and Grand Haven games.

Jack Rose was selected for the Herald All-City Second Team. Dick Walsh and Dave Van Dyke were on the Press All-City Second Team.

Coach Gil Powers

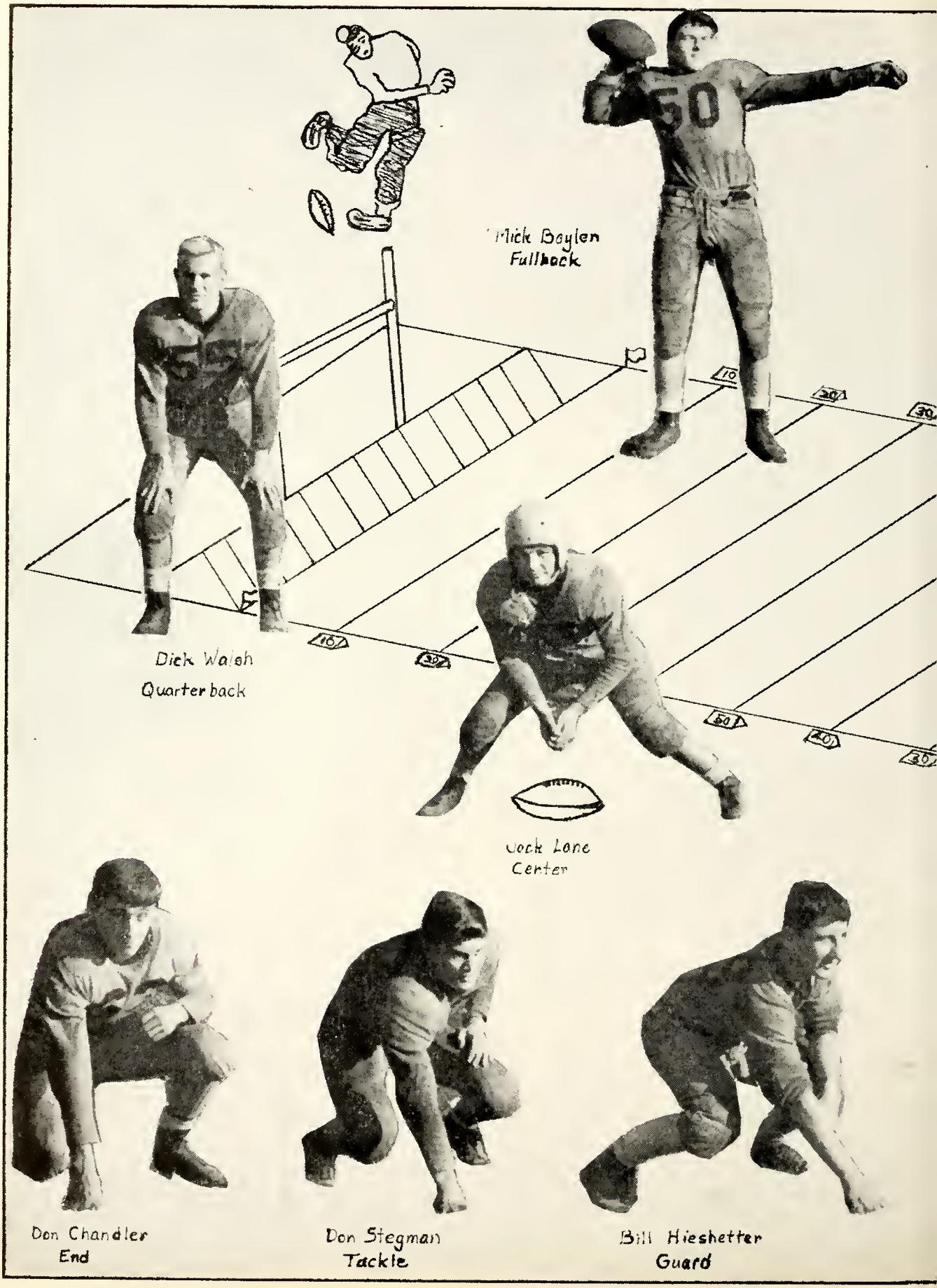
In the Holland game, halfback Al Rasikas is being hemmed in by a host of Holland tacklers. Holland won the close contest 13 to 6.

Jack Rose, Creston halfback, is brought down after a short gain in the Central game. Other Creston players are: Mick Boylan (50), Jerry Lewis (60), and Al Rasikas (58).

Mick goes down behind Rose's interference in the Ottawa game. Other Creston players are: Al Rasikas (58), Jerry Lewis (60), and Bill Hieshetter (69).

Where's the ball? A fumble in the Catholic game. Creston players are: Jack Rose (54), Don Stegman (67), Jack Lane (48), and Cliff Goeree (38).

Dan Stevens about to make a tackle in the Union game. Other Polar Bears on the snow-covered gridiron are: Dave Van Dyke (70), Don Chandler (63), Glen Weaver (58), Don Stegman (67), Bob Vogt (53), and down under we find Jack Rose (54).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Fullback
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Don Stegman
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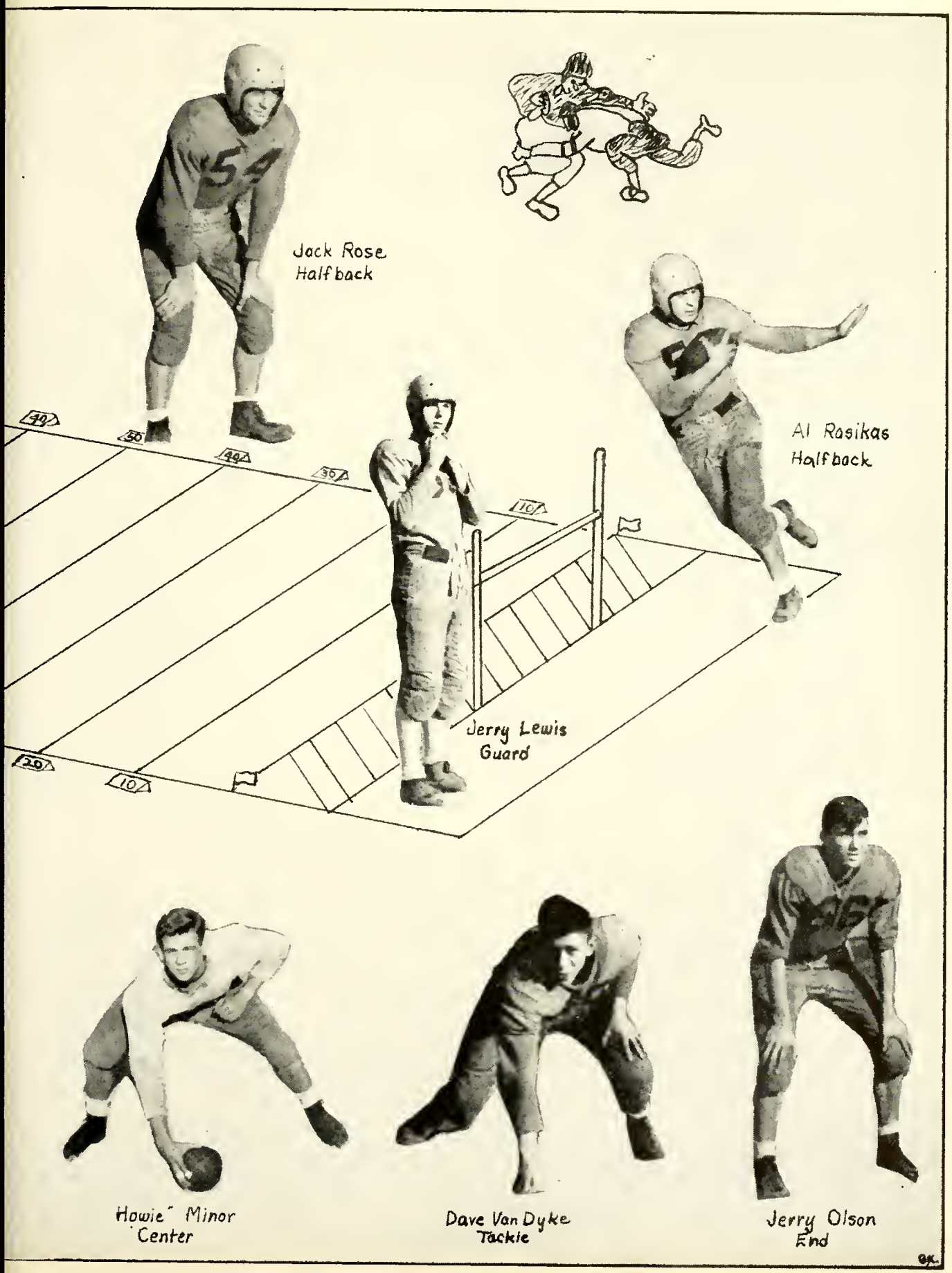
Bill Hieshetter
Guard


Jack Rose
Halfback
Al Rasikas
Halfback
Jerry Lewis
Guard
Howie Minor
Center
Dave Van Dyke
Tackle
Jerry Olson
End

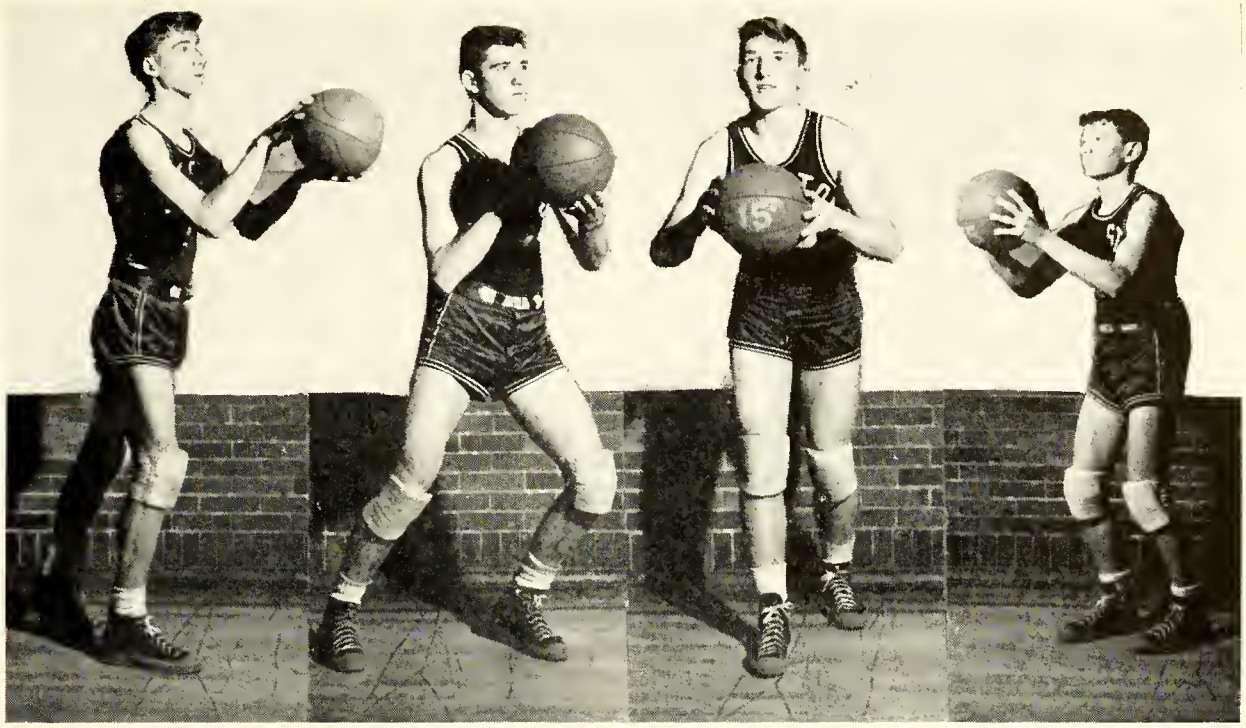
Row 1. W. Raatz, Mgr. J. Rose, J. Olson, R. Van Assen, E. Woolport, J. Lane. Row 2: D. Walsh, J. Babb, R. Paasche, R. Andree, M. Boylan.

The 47-48 Polar Bear basketball team was on its way to the Championship until the midyear graduation of Capt. Jerry Olson who sparked the team on most of its victories. Rog Van Assen took his place and did a remarkable job although they lost a few close ones. The team ended the season in a third place tie with Christian.

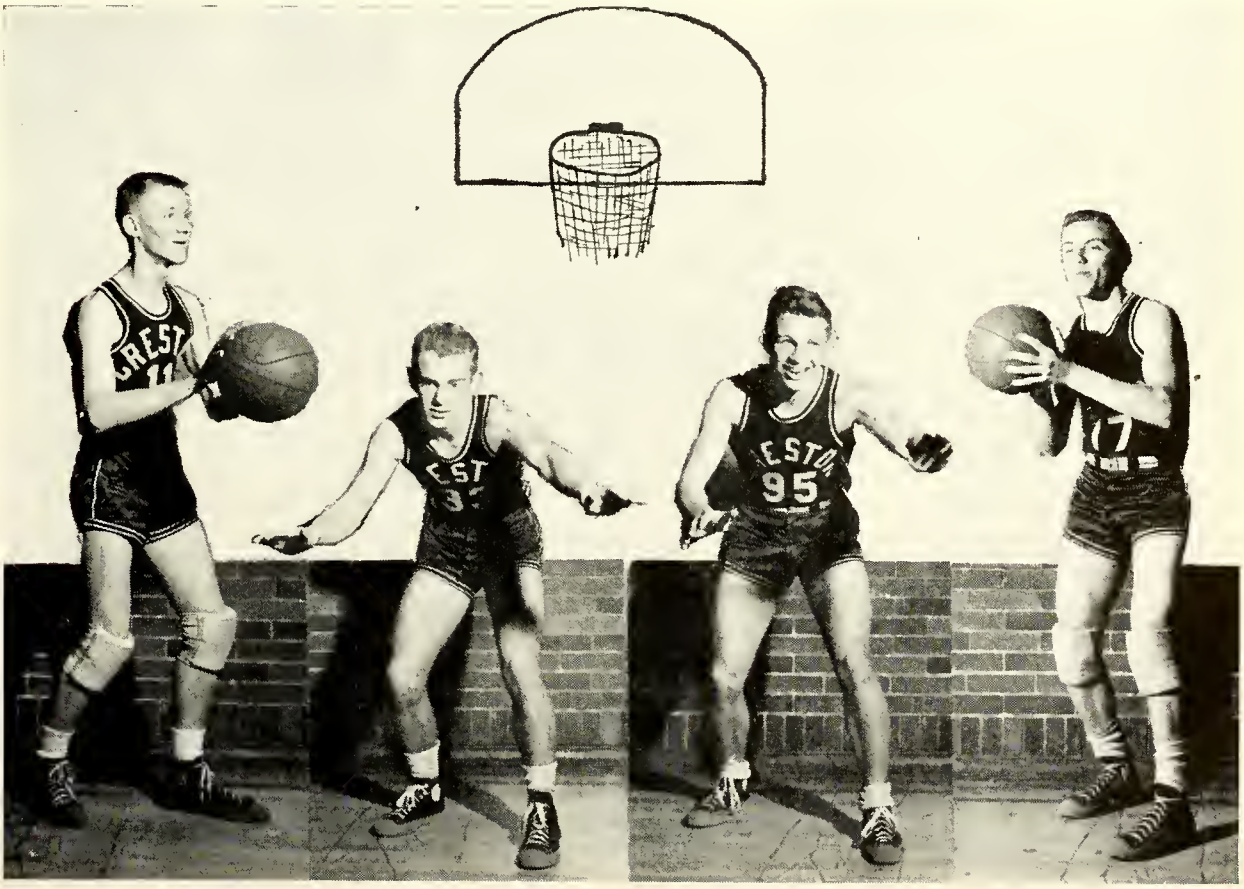
SCORES

Creston	Opponents
29-32	Alma
30-28	Traverse City
27-29	Ottawa
47-20	Catholic
43-35	Union
33-30	South
41-32	Central
27-36	Christian
29-41	Ottawa
41-27	Catholic
26-44	Union
28-32	South
31-44	Muskegon Hts.
46-47	Central
40-38	Christian

Our Coaches and Managers: P. Van Dyke, Mr. O'Malley, Mr. Schrump, W. Raatz, J. Funk.



Jerry Olson Rog Van Assen 'Mick' Boylan Jack Lane



'Ozzie' Woolpert Dick Walsh Jack Rose Bob Vogt

Rich Rademacher Jack Babb Rog Andree Bob Paasche

Rademacher takes a pass in mid air while Olson and Van Assen stand ready for action.

Van Assen prepares to pass to Lane while Olson shouts encouragement.

Mick takes a tumble in the Union game while Olson, Rademacher, and Van Assen look on.

Organizations

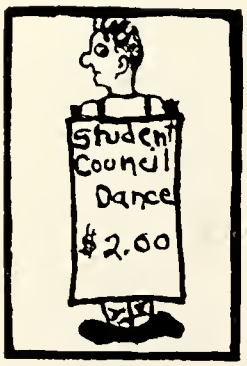
1st Row: D. Beerthuis, C. Brown, M. Boerma, G. Kunkel, C. Anderson, S. Stegmier, D. Oom, V. Duiker, D. Robinson, G. Brillhart, L. Blandford. 2nd Row: D. Veldman, M. Blandford, J. Bailey, M. Vander Honing, W. Gorski, J. Vander Veen, J. Rose, J. Raimer, D. Sampanes, I. Wolff, C. Harrison. 3rd Row: R. Harding, D. Smith, Y. Olsen, R. Wilkins, G. Koskey, R. Kippen, J. Ten Have, P. Richardson, B. Wieten, R. DeNise, Mr. Wassenaar.

Senators

Again this year under the sponsorship of Mr. Garrit Wassenaar, the Student Council has accomplished many things.

The Council has helped sponsor the Inter-High dances after basketball games. Lost and found, student suggestion box, faulty drinking fountains and North-End tennis courts were projects which the Student Council undertook.

Members of the Inter-High Student Council were Susie Stegmier, Roger Wilkins Barbara Wieten, and John Ten Have.



"Madame President"

Officers: Suzie Stegmier, President; Bill Gorski, Treasurer; Donna Robinson, Vice-President; Roger Wilkins, Secretary.

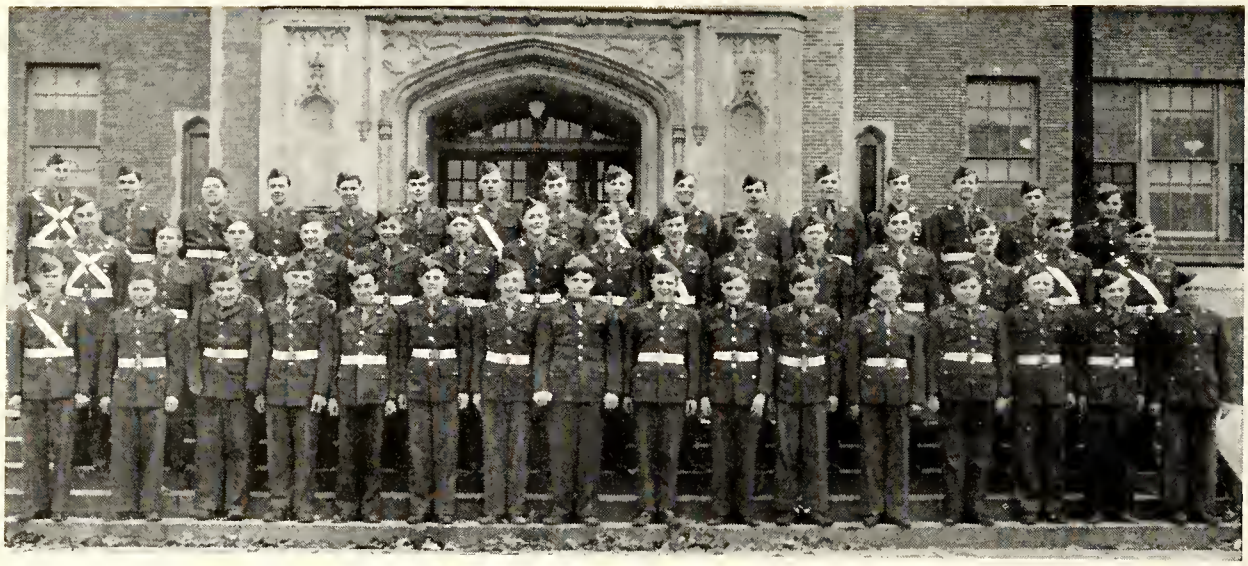
1st Row: B. Davey, M. Scott, W. Kryger, J. Keyes, C. Brown, G. Brillhart, T. Cross, J. Lohmann, R. Hall, W. Pillsbury, R. Uecker, V. Duiker, G. Gaser, V. Brunswick, D. McKee, E. Benham, M. De Maagd. 2nd Row: B. Montgomery, J. Robinette, L. Schantz, S. Stegmier, V. Fleming, G. Klap, M. Trieber, B. Terkeurst, J. Fritch, B. Hamacher, E. Cole, J. Lewis, M. Davis, E. Kinsley, L. Mieras, M. Barnum, R. Hoekstra. 3rd Row: D. Courtright, D. Robinson, P. Richardson, J. Rose, M. McDowl, B. Gorski, R. Weaver, M. Wilson, J. Toft, B. Meadema, N. Chesebrough, J Waltz, C. Meinke, B. Kramer, B. McAllister, R. De Nise. 4th Row: J. Van Ess, E. Klaassen, B. Weiten, N. Cambier, M. Gormley, E. Stadt, H. Minor, J. Olson, E. Keegstra, P.Keithley, M. De Neut, H. Katz, E. Mol, P. Leese, S. Van Portfleet, J. Tuttle, B. VanderVelde.

Capital Guides

The courtesy squad under the able supervision of Miss Mary Windt keeps the halls orderly during class periods. During lunch periods students on duty in the cafeteria help to keep orderly lines and to see that dishes and refuse are properly disposed of. It was also their duty to give information and directions to visitors and new students. Some of the hall posts were eliminated during the second semester.

"Let's see your hall pass."

1st Row: B. Davey, R. Van Houte, B. Montgomery, M. Barnum, J. Robinette, P. Richardson, M. Stuit, G. Klap, B. Geldhof, D. Geldhof, B. Wynsma, M. Rohr. 2nd Row: H. Simpson, R. Hall, S. Musser, H. Huber, R. De Nise, V. Duiker, J. Lewis, P. Leese, B. Laansma, J. Sweet, C. Smith, G. Gaser, D. Vader. 3rd Row: A. Riewald, H. Miner, J. Ten Have, H. Katz, E. Peterson, M. Gormley, C. Livingston, J. Jackson, H. Houser, B. McAllister, J. Toft, B. Kremer, R. Uecker, J. Crosby, E. Cole, D. Courtwright. 4th Row: B. Vance, J. Truckle, N. Chesebrough, J. Hines, D. Zoerner, J. Tuttle, B. Hamacher, E. Klaasen, A. Broekema, P. Houk, C. Goeree, G. Waterkamp.



Row 1: Dan Courtright, Robert Gray, Jerry Pitch, James Fuller, Bob Cole, Don Van Valkenburg, Ray Blackburn, Dick Kelly, Don Antcliff, Dale Felix, Robert Smith, Tom McKay, Roger Berry, Jack Snyder. Row 2: Norman Chesebrough, Kenneth Rosendall, Robert Felix, Robert Punches, James Fuller, Ray Brandt, Don Stellard, Douglas Spanogie, Ed. Cole, Robert Misner, Ray Tinney, Willis Briggs, Richard Campbell, Martin Brown, Pete Houk. Row 3: Gary Waterkamp, Bob Card, David Cornell, Howard Jackman, Bob Despres, Ray Thompson, Jerry Hall, Ray Ferguson, Charles Hornback, Earl Thompson, Kenneth Wildeboer, David Van Kammon, Don Snyder, John Dooge, Paul De Lieuw, Ray Brenner.

The Loony Squad: Earl Thompson, Bob Cole, Jack Mackendorfer, Jim Long, Eldon Koone, Ed Cole, Martin Brown, Robert Misner.

The Rifle Team: Master Sergeant Conard, Martin Brown, Don Courtright, Robert Misner, Don Hathaway.

Honor Guard

Creston's R.O.T.C. unit, instructed by Master Sergeant Paul G. Conard, was organized as one company, Company B.

During the first semester basic training was provided for and included formation and drills, manual of arms, instruction of maintenance, military courtesy and first-aid. During the second semester advanced subjects included rifle marksmanship, map reading instruction, machine-gun light and heavy, rocket launcher, mortars-60 and 81, carbines, rifle-M-1, and all weapons used by the infantry soldier.

All instructions are under the supervision of Col. Baker, P. M. S and T, and Captain Rowland, Assistant P. M. S and T.

Events participated in were Federal Inspection and Field Day. The Rifle Team took part in the Inter-City Rifle Match.

Officers: Gary Waterkamp, Norman Chesebrough, Doug Spanogle, Don Courtright.

Nancy Brabb, Pat O'Hara, Virginia Clark, Dorothy Slocum, Joyce Sierveld, Arlene Keith, Mariam Boerma, Shirley Morrison, Norma Veltman, Phyliss Davis, Mildred Fonger, Pat Groenland, Bonnie Dodge, Janet Sweet, Betty Glaser, Sue Shultz.

First Ladies

This year Mrs. D. Keith's Horizon Club formerly a Campfire group, has specialized in progressive dinners, skating parties, and nurses aid at St. Mary's hospital. The club planned to attend the Tommy Dorsey show and several musical events at the Civic Auditorium.

Working under the direction of Mrs. Ronkema, the Horizon Club helped put on the All City Horizon Club dance, which was held New Year's Eve in the Burton Gym.

Two girls from Creston attended the National Horizon Club Convention at Cincinnati in April.

1st Row: Joyce Van Akkeren, Margaret Andrews, Dorothy Vader, Joan Benedict, Janet Sweet, Marilyn Millard, Mary Jane Jessup, Gerry Gasar. 2nd Row: Julianne Ladewig, Yvonne Olson, Alice Thompson, Marge De Neut, Pat Keegstra, Marilyn Davis, Joan Stuit.

1st Row, Left to Right: G. Brillhart, E. Anderson, Y. Olsen, B. McAllister, J. Lewis, I. Wolfe, V. Duiker. Top Row: B. Doane, M. Russell, D. L. Robinson, P. Leese, E. Wildey, R. Van Houte, Mr. J. Van Krimpen, Advisor.

Business and advertising editors, Eleanor Wildey, and Joan Jackson.

The Capital Newsmen

Heading this year's Echo Staff was Virginia Duiker in the position of editor-in-chief. It was Virginia's job to supervise the editoral and business staffs. Managing editor was Donna Lee Robinson who supervised the editorial staff. The business manager was Eleanor Wildey, who was in charge of the financing of the Echo. Advertising Manager was Suzanne Stegmier, whose job was to supervise the distribution of the Echo. News Editors were Inge Wolff and Bonnie McAllister, who planned and edited page one and three of the Echo. First semester's Feature Editor was Peter Anderson, and second semester's was Ruth Van Houte. Their duty was to plan and edit page two. Sports Editor was Bruce Doane. Copyreaders were Gail Brillhart, Joyce Lewis, and Martha Russell.

The Staff sponsored the Bobby Breen Campaign funds for the boy's education.

As this year was the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Echo and Saga, the Echo used this as its theme in its issues throughout the year.

Watching Donna Lee Type.

The advertising staff: Bonita Freas, Patty Poley, Janet Sweet, Betty Lacey, Bernadine Van Ess, Lois Huttenga.

1st Row: J Brown, J. Keyes, J. Van Akkeren, C. Smith, L. Blandford. 2nd Row: M. Jessup, D. Vader, P. Keegstra, J. Stuit, D. McKee. 3rd Row: B. Vance, B. Meadema, J. Houston, B. Kramer.

White House Newsboys

Journalism students study under the supervision of Mr. John Van Krimpen. This course is to prepare students for newspaper work. Among other things students learn proof-reading and how to prepare headlines and stories. They study newspapers as well as text books to get material.

These students in their senior year move on to fill positions on the Echo.

The circulation staff is under the leadership of Miss John and Mrs. Timmer. Manager of the Staff was Susie Stegmier assisted by Dick Courter. The manager and her assistants count out and deliver the Echo during the 7th hour class at two week intervals. They also distribute the Saga at the end of each year. They see that advertisers get a copy of the Echo. They exchange both Echoes and Sagas with other schools.

1st Row, Left to Right: B. Davey, J. Ascherman; J. Reed; J. Richards, S. Stegmier, B. Montgomery, J. Townsend, Mrs. Timmer. 2nd Row: M. Russell, C. Brown, F. Trieber, M. Trieber, J. Dryer, D. Vader, D. Robinson, D. Blazart, Miss John. Top Row: R. Hall, R. Courter, H. Miner, M. Vander Molen, A. Broekema, C. Bruce, P. Richardson, M. Remes.

1st Row, Left to Right: Jan Lamain, Andy Goodwin, Eldon Klaassen. 2nd Row: Dick Courter, Jerome Lewis, Ted Sierveld, Don Courtright, Russ Ripma. 3rd Row: Lauren Dunn, Carl Bruce, Peter Houk. 4th Row: Lyle Dornan, Art Riewald, Jack Foster, Gary Waterkamp, Gene Koskey. 5th Row: Andy Broekema, Bob Hamacher, David Van Kammen, Don Chandler.

Field Trip: 1st Row: Lyle Dornan, Peter Houk, Don Courtright, Eldon Klaassen. 2nd Row: Lauren Dunn, Don Trauger, Jack Foster, Gary Waterkamp.

Smithsonian Institute

The Creston High School Science Club, organized twenty-two years ago, still carries out its original plans of presenting "scientific matter in a scientific manner." This year the club has added four pictures to the collection given to the high school. Part of their annual program is to have a dinner party and a June trip to some point of scientific interest. The three day trip last year included a stop at the Capitol at Lansing.

Officers First Semester: Gene Koskey, Bill Sturrus, Don Trauger, Eldon Klaassen.

Officers Second Semester: Jan Lamain, Andy Goodwin, Don Trauger, Eldon Klaassen.

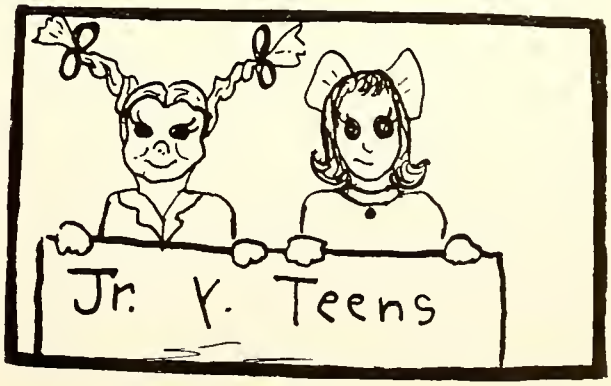
1st Row, Left to Right: Diane Pembrach, Sarah Perry, Virginia Tickner, Mary Richardson, Judy Ketelaar, Grace Collicia, Mrs. Mathews, Advisor. 2nd Row: Alice Keyes, Betty Pemboek, Marjorie Knoop, Judy Shapiro, Ruth Borms, Diane Lambert. 3rd Row: Joyce Huttenga, Shirley Benham, Peggy Smith, Marjorie Foster, Shirley Briggs, Carole Lauman. 4th Row: Sandra Stoloraw, Ann Fuller, Jean Wilson, Norma Filkens, Shirley Hawkins, Roberta Harding. 5th Row: Ardythe Beerhuis, Cormen Anderson, Wanda Chebe, Dorothy Paterache, Donna Kirkbride, Beth Long.

Jr. Daughters of the Republic

The purpose of the Junior Y-Teens is to find and give the best. They have sponsored a noon dance and donut sales, which has contributed to their support. Their initiation was held at a candlelight service. The girls packed two boxes of used clothing to send to Germany. They attended an All-City Potluck which was held at the Y.M.C.A. The Junior Y-Teens dressed as gypsys and had a fortune telling stunt for their share in the program at an All-City Junior Y-Teen banquet which was held at the Y.M.C.A.

Marjorie Foster, Treasurer; Jean Wilson, Student Council Rep.; Shirley Hawkins, President; Donna Kirkbride, Secretary; Sandra Staloraw, Vice President.

Looking at their Songbooks: 1st Row, Left to Right: Dyonne Pembrook, Judy Ketelaar, Mary Richardson, Barbara Lundberg. 2nd Row: Virginia Tickner, Judy Shapiro, Jeanne Larson. 3rd Row: Susan Dent, Marjorie Kroop, Norma Filkins, Beth Long, Roberta Harding.



1st Row: F. Vander Honing, B. Tanenbaum, M. Remes, N. Brabb, M. Barnum, M. Meyer, M. Hoeve, B. Montgomery, L. Blandford, W. Kryger. 2nd Row: Miss Bean, I. Wolff, J. Van Akkeren, M. Jessup, H. Huber, N. Vander Broek, D. Robinson, G. Brillhart, D. Glade. 3rd Row: P. Bresnahan, K. Stratton, A. Mayhew, G. Klap, D. Rosel, J. Toft, J. Harker, J. Ladewig, M. Russell. 4th Row: D. Vader, J. Raimer, L. Hendricks, M. Otte, C. Loomis, J. Houston, B. Nederveld, B. Wheaton, R. Hall. 5th Row: A. Thompson, N. Cambier, P. Keegstra, B. McAllister, S. Stegmier, M. Wilson, B. Kramer, J. Benedict, J. Stuit.

Sr. Daughters of the Republic

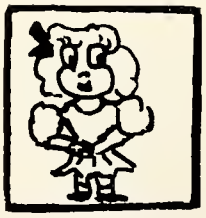
The Senior Y-Teens were formerly known as the Senior Girl Reserves.

Their yearly activities included a joint spread with Union at the Y.W.C.A., an all City and County Banquet in March, donations to the Kent County Community Chest and to the World Fellowship Fund, knitting for the Red Cross and boxes of soap to the needy in Europe. They also have purchased the magazine, "Seventeen," as a gift to the Creston High School library.

Judy Toft represented Grand Rapids in the first National Hi-Y and Y-Teens Summer Conference. Last summer Joan Harker and Gerry Klap attended the conference at Trenton, Michigan and Laura Blandford and Dorothy Vader were delegates to the Michigan Midwinter Conference at Muskegon.

The officers for the first semester were Judy Toft, president; Luanne Hendricks, vice president; Norma Cambier, secretary; Marilyn Otte, treasurer. Officers for the second semester were Laura Blandford, president; Norma Cambier, vice president; Mary Jane Jessup, secretary; Joan Stuit, treasurer.

Seated left to right are the officers: Judy Toft, Norma Cambier Luanne Hendricks, and Marilyn Otte. Standing are Mary Jane Jessup, Joan Stuit, and Laura Blandford.



An informal shot of some Y-Teens with their knitted afghan squares.

1st Row: B. Hall, J. Seelman, J. Ascherman, C. Brown, V. Van Valkenberg, M. Remes, J. Phillips, H. Huber, J. Robinette, J. Nussdorfer, B. Montgomery, J. Dryer, G. Gasar, M. Gabrick, L. Riemersma, D. Beerthuis. 2nd Row: J. Lingenfelter, J. Ladewig, A. Mol, A. Twiss, J. Tuffs, J. Van Akkeren, J. Brown, L. Dent, D. Vader, J. Bailey, S. Shultz, M. Trieber, G. Klap, B. Pigorsh, D. McKee, M. DeMaagd, P. Keegstra. 3rd Row: M. Vander Molen, J. Houston, S. Blasing, M. Gormley, N. Cambier, A. McMaster, C. Boursma, J. Benedict, B. Bowersox, B. Laansma, M. Vander Honing, L. Springfield, L. Hendricks, C. Loomis, D. Holtrop, M. De Neut, H. Katz, J. Warrenton, V. Brunsink, R. De Nise. 4th Row: G. Ozinga, A. Riewald, H. Miner, J. Funk, E. Woolpert, A. Goodwin, J. Waltz, J. Foster, G. Stone, R. McLean, G. Chappin, P. Jackson, A. Broekema, M. Suart, B. Terkeurst, B. Gorski, G. Akkerhuis, J. Stryker, P. Byl, P. Van Dyke.

Mr. Frank Goodwin, Director

A Cappella Choir

The A Cappella Choir was part of the massed chorus which sang at the Civic Auditorium under the direction of the well known composer and conductor, Noble Cain.

The choir entertained The Michigan Teachers Association in October; Plainfield Methodist Church in November; Creston P.T.A in February and The Lions Club and Rotary Club in June. In addition to this, they sang at the Fountain Street Baptist Church and at the Civic Auditorium in December with the concert under the direction of Mr. Gantz. Their Spring Concert was given in the Creston Auditorium.

The choir is directed by Mr. Frank Goodwin. Assisting him this year were Jack Foster, president; Howard Miner, vice president, Barbara Montgomery, secretary: Jerry Akkerhuis, treasurer; Jim Stryker, business manager and Pat Keegstra, pianist.

The Officers.

1st Row: S. Garlock, D. Dane, M. Rozell, P. McIntyre, C. Bruce, M. DeMeister, M. Meyer, N. Vander Broek, L. Sherwood, J. Richards, M. Blandford, B. Carr, D. Clark. 2nd Row: E. Grotenhuis, R. Davis, M. Hart, V. Van Valkenburg, S. McKenzie, J. Olsen, M. Ver Hage, J. Reickenback, G. Whipp, N. White, J. Proos, L. Koskey, P. O'Harrow, B. Schaeffer. 3rd Row: G. Stegmier, B. Weld, S. Montgomery, T. Hoogerland, M. Livingston, F. Trieber, R. Thompson, J. De Boe, C. Barnum, E. Hollenbeck, D. Fuller. 4th Row: D. Hoeve, K. Mellema, J. Brink, G. Smith, B. Dickinson, R. Vander Kooy, R Ripma, J. Middleton, J. Conklin, V. Free.

Second Choir and Glee Club

Second Choir contains the future A-Cappela members. The group met the sixth hour Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday.

The officers were President Roger Vander Kooy, Vice President Sally McKenzie, Secretary Mary De Meester.

Under the direction of Frank Goodwin the club has been given vocal experience needed for second choir. The officers for the second semester were Joan Visner, President; Crystal Anderson, Vice President; Lois Udell, Secretary.

1st Row: D. Rathman, E. Hardyke, J. Townsend, D. Cummings, J. Wise, J. Johnson, M. Lookabill, D. Miller, J. Hill, M. Neithefer, M. Polly, G. Larson, M. Hoffman. 2nd Row: J. Terkuerst, A. Viner, W. Ensing, C. Ver Burg, S. Wood, S. DeKorn, L Gillespie, J. Tulip, A. Wilson, M. Perry, J. Kieling, E. Davey. 3rd Row: H. Skully, N. Barns, P. Chadwick, M. Hendricks, L. Rosendall, J. Visner, D. Vanden Burg, D Lower, J. Van Setters, M. Wymer, S. Luzencamp, M. Steinport, L. Udell, W. Urban, M. Birch, M. McKay. 4th Row: M. Larson, A. Crum, A. Brown, S. Cook, D. Francis, E. Galerick, J. Lundberg, M. Stadt, D. Barnard, F. Truckle, J Ver Berg, C. Thomas, H. Shippman, M. Peterson, D. Smith, W. Main, M. Flynn.

1st Row, Left to Right: Ardyth Anderson, Joan Reed, LaVanda Helms, Bill Haynes, Shirley Bennett, Irma Gustafson, Jean Wilson. 2nd Row: Charlene Sherwood, Diane Williams, Richard Billin. Standing: Janet Sweet, John Rose, Shirley Morrison, Bob Stuit, Ed Andrews, Gladys DeGraff.

Junior Band and Orchestra

Under the direction of Mr. Joel Lowe the Creston High School orchestra had a successful season. The group played for Gloria, the Spring Concert, and commencement exercises.

Striving diligently to become members of the Senior band is the task of the Junior band.

Mr. Joel Lowe, the director, trains pupils in Palmer and Fairmount elementary schools. When they enter Creston they will be better prepared to enter band.

1st Row: J. Curry, D. Baltutat, H. Beals, C. Bersey, J. Bunker, J. Johnston, J. Helenbach, R. Simpson, M. Ricknee, H. Veltman. Back Row: K. Felix, C. Beswich, L. Putnam, G. Eastman, D. Warren.

1st Row: H. Beem, B. Udell, C. Livingston, S. Watkins, J. Barber, J. Ross, E. Andrews, C. Joppe, D. O'Brien, 2nd Row: J. Sierveld, M. Robinette, N. Houk, D. Fuerst, R. De Vries, S. Grenwats, M. Whitcomb, B. Boerma, J. Kryger, D. Scott, E. Koskey, C. Tickner, W. Raatz, D. Thomas, K. Houtman, J. Warmoltz, C. Haizman, S. Blackburn. 3rd Row: D. Varner, P. Mowry, D. Arnt, K. Van Krimpen, G. Whittington, R. Terpstra, D. Glade, B. Shafer, D. Smith, D. Antrim, D. Olmstead, R. Dempsey, G. Whittney, B. Van Der Velde, W. Joyce, D. Bartlett, D. Kanode, B. Campbell, N. Arndt, R. Abbott, B. Stuit. 4th Row: A. Fuller, T. Cross, L. Abbott, R. Mawby, G. Lanstra, A. Keith, V. Fleming, D. Hoag, S. Morrison, M. Lindhout.

Marine Band

This year's band was "On The Ball." They not only played good music, but also played classical pieces and to the peak of their ability

At one of the football games, during the half, the band marched briskly to the middle of the field, then turned toward the Creston stand and halted. Then the perfectly drilled band quickly formd a heart, and to the astonishment of the spectators, they played "Peg O' My Heart."

Officers elected by the members were: Herb Beam, president; Dolores Glade, secretary; and Dan Antrim, treasurer.

Mr. Joel Lowe, musical advisor.

Members of the band warming up.

The majorettes, Virginia Fleming and Arlene Keith, pose pretty.

1st Row: L. Blandford, V. Fleming, M. Jessup, M. Miller, D. Robinson, S. Stegmier, T. Cross. 2nd Row: H. Huber, B. Pigorsh, J. Lingenfelter, G. Chapin, B. Pillsbury, N. Brown, G. lap, R. Hoekstra. 3rd Row: M. Remes, B. Morgan, C. Meinke, M. De Neut, E. Koskey, D. Van Dyke, H. Houser, J. Ten Have, M. Garter.

Historians

The Saga Staff this year has worked especially hard to get our year book done at an early date. During the first semester, we met only on Tuesday nights after school, but we accomplished a great deal. In the second semester we met every day during the first hour.

We also have for this year a new type of cover, which was another of our goals. Our theme throughout the book followed our national government.

The Co-Editors of the '48 Saga were Bill Pillsbury and Helen Houser. Marge De Neut was Business Manager, and Susie Stegmier was picture editor. The other editors were Marva Garter, clubs; Dave Van Dyke, organizations; Charlotte Meinke, news and feature pages; Joyce Fritch, teachers and session rooms; Marilyn Miller and Marilyn Davis, senior pages; Richard Hoekstra, underclassmen; Eugene Koskey and Joan Lingenfelter, sports; and Evelyn Anderson, Betty Haynes, and Jackie Pierson, art editors. The typists for this year were Virginia Kasteline and Shirley Cole.

The assistants to the editors were Theo Cross, Laura Blandford, Mary Jessup, Berdeen Pigorsh, Helen Huber, Marilyn Remes, Barbara Morgan, Virginia Fleming, Ed Keegstra, Nelson Brown, and Keith Longberg.

Members of the Saga Staff in the front hall.
B. Haynes, J. Pierson, K. Longberg, E. Koskey, J. Fritch, M. Davis, E. Keegstra.

The members of the staff all pitch in to meet the deadline for their pages.

Senior Ushers, Front Row, left to right: M. Scott, R. Van Houte, G. Brillhart, E. Alyea, K. Stratton, N. Seaburn, B. Doane, N. White, M. Millard, R. Davis, D. Robinson, M. Russel, B. Montgomery. Second Row: E. Pennock, M. Miller, M. McDowl, B. Ochentile, R. Echer, J. Crosby, C. Bruce, B. Gorski, P. Leese, G. Klap, R. Hall, I. Wolff, B. Davey. Third Row: Mr. Hanson (advisor), V. Duiker, P. Jackson, D. Cornell, R. Kippen, B. Passche, M. Vander Molen, A. Broekema, A. Riewald, L. Rosendall, B. Kramer, J. Lewis, M. Garter.

Waiting for the rush to begin.

Grand Marshals of the Assembly

The ushers are a group of capable students who see to it that the students enter and leave the auditorium in as orderly a fashion as possible. The Senior Ushers under Mr. Hanson take charge of all senior assemblies and the junior ushers under Miss John assist in junior assemblies to open the doors and be ready for ushering in the students. They are very helpful in making the assemblies more enjoyable.

Junior Ushers, Front Row, left to right: J. Drotar, B. Vander Velde, B. Erwin, J. Trieber, L. Dornan, S. Koster, B. Wild, Miss John (advisor). Second Row: J. Reed, E. Antrim, H. Shipman, D. Smith, D. Hamilton, M. Foster, L. Udell, J. Van Setters. Third Row: P. Persall, J. Verburg, B. Beckwith, J. Wierenga, R. DeGraff, V. Frede, D. De Lano, P. Smith, H. Berry.

Front Row: T. Long, J. Bailey, D. Bailey, J. Shooker, J. McEndarffer, J. Webster, T. Sierveld, J. DeWeese, J. Wright. Row Two: Mr. Pease (advisor), D. Parker, R. Noom, R. Hoggott, R. Barrows, M. Boss, K. Otte. Row Three: G. Smith, D. Holcomb, R. Ripma, T. Byl, R. Vander Klip.

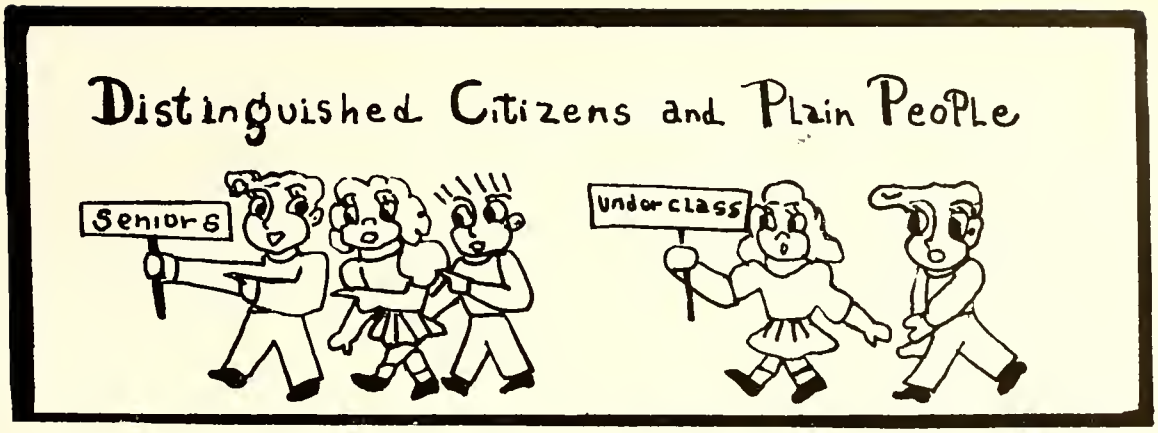
Modelairs and Intermediate Daughters of the Republic

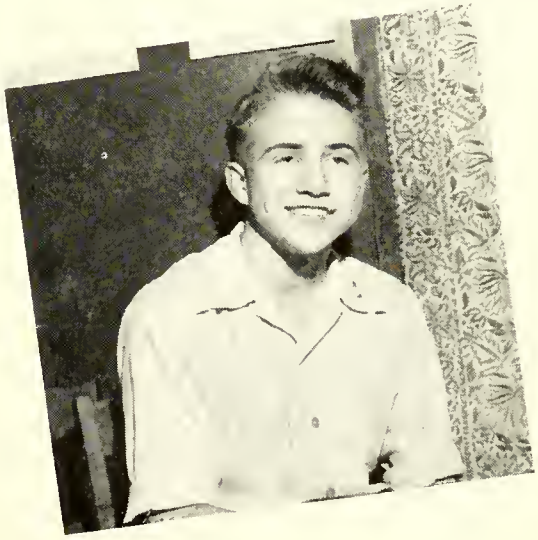
Advisor and officers: Mr. Pease, Jack Shooker, Vice Pres.; Russel Ripma, Secretary; Ted Sierveld, Treasurer; and Jack McEndarffer, President.

Officers: M. Stadt, President; Graceanne Long, Treasurer; Virginia Lambert, Student Council Representative; Pat Harding, Inter-Club Council; (In back) Shirley Morrison, Vice President; Norma Veltman, Secretary.

Front Row, left to right: J. Wetzel, C. Anderson, J. Keiling, J. Dennis, M. Benson, M. Blandford, D. Cummings. Row Two: Miss Locke (advisor), V. Lambert, I. Gustafson, S. Bennett, L. Schemerworm, N. Veltman, M. Neithefer. Row Three: M. Hendricks, G. Long, D. Frances, M. Stadt, D. DeLano, P. Harding, S. Morrison.

1. Push 'em boys push! 2. Youth on the Air. 3. Christmas time at Creston. 4. Working? Echo. 5. Creston, Yes, Yes. 6. Blow hard! 7. Neat trio. 8. He-men. 9. Is it good?





We, the class of "48", started the year right by electing John Ten Have, President; Suzanne Stegmier, Vice-President; Marilyn Davis, Secretary; and Eldon Klassen, Treasurer.

A dance, "The Senior Swing", held after the South-Creston basketball game, was our first money making project.

Our Senior play, "The Fighting Littles," given March 10, 11, and 12, was a great success.

Class colors, chosen on January 20th, were maroon and white. Louanne Mieras was chairman of this committee. Heading the class motto committee was Jack Foster. "Wisdom is the road to freedom," was chosen. The music for our class song was written by Eugene Koskey, and the words by Mary Lou Barnum.

THE CLASS OF '48.

GERARD AKKERHUIS. *"Hear ye not the hum of mighty workings?"*
Treasurer of A Cappela Choir.

ELAINE ALYEA. *"There is nothing so great that I fear to do it for my friend."*
A.B., Second Choir, Senior Ushers, Hikers Club.

ARDYTH ANDERSON. *"The hand that hath made you fair hath made you good."*
A.B., Senior Ushers,, Senior Girl Reserves, Saga, Junior Revue.

EVELYN ANDERSON. *"There is no difficulty which ambition and energy cannot conquer."*
Student Council, Saga, Echo, Senior Y-Teens, Junior Revue, Spanish Club, Gloria.

PETER ANDERSON. *"As full of spirit as the month of May."*
Feature Editor of Echo.

SHIRLEY ANDERSON. *"The pursuit of the perfect, then, is the pursuit of sweetness and light."*
Hikers Club, Red Cross, Glee Club, A.B.

MARGARET ANDREWS. *"Thou has no sorrow in thy song, no winter in the year."*
Glee Club, A.B., Junior and Senior Honor Societies, Red Cross, Latin Club.

DAN ANTRIM. *"The man that blushes is not quite a brute."*
Hi-Y, Band, Science Club.

DONALD ARNDT. *"A man he seems of cheerful yesterdays and confident tomorrows.*

NORINE BAILEY. *"Ambition has no rest."*
Spanish Club, Hikers, Junior Revue.

ANGELA BARKER. *"Can we ever have too much of a good thing?"*

MARY LOU BARNUM. *"A happy disposition is conductive to a happy life."*
A.B., Y-Teens, A Cappela Choir, Courtesy Squad, Gloria, One-Acts, Latin Club, Cheerleader.

DORIS BASSETT. *"It's nice to be natural when you're naturally nice."*
A.B., Courtesy Squad.

BARBARA BENHAM. *"Beauty and fun are often companions."*
A.B., A Cappella Choir, Junior Revue, Gloria.

WILLIAM BERRY. *"A youth to whom was given so much of earth, so much of heaven."*
R.O.T.C., Printshop.

SHARON BLASING. *"The tone of good conversation is brilliant and natural."*
Junior and Senior Honor Societies, Ushers, Student Council, Hikers, Courtesy Squad, Spanish Club, Saga, Circulation Staff, A.B.

DOLORES BLOCK. *"The foundation of knowledge must be laid by reading."*

JIM BOLUYT. *"He lives to build not to boast, a jolly good fellow wherever he goes."*

ESTHER BOOT. *"Good nature is one of the richest fruits of true Christianity."*
A.B., Courtesy Squad.

BARBARA BOWERSOX. *"More to be desired is she than gold."*
Choir, Latin Club, A.B., Gloria, Junior Revue, One-Act Plays.

LAWRENCE (Mick) BOYLEN. *"Man is born into trouble, as the sparks fly upward."*
Hi-Y, C Club, Spanish Club, Courtesy Squad, Junior Revue, Football, Track, Basketball.

GAIL BRILLHART. *"It is the nature of a great mind to be calm and undisturbed."*
Senior Ushers, A.B., Courtesy Squad, Latin Club, Y-Teens, Junior Revue.

DAN BROWN. *"He keeps on the windy side of care."*
Science Club, Senior Play.

ED BUTLER. *"Occupation is one great source of enjoyment."*

MARIAN BYL. *"Speech is great, but her silence is greater."*
Courtesy Squad, Second Choir, Gloria.

WILLIAM BYL. *"Few were his words, but wonderfully clear."*
R. O. T. C.

ROBERT CARD. *"I live in the crowd of jollity."*
Hi-Y, Bars and Chevrons, Junior Ushers, R.O.T.C., Gloria, Junior Revue, Football.

DAN CHAMPION. *"A lad of mettle, a good boy."*
Bars and Chevrons.

DON CHANDLER. *"Custom hath made it in him a property of easiness."*
Hi-Y, Science Club, C Club, Football, Baseball.

GEORGE CHAPIN. *"By the work one knows the workman."*
Science Club.

NORMAN CHESEBROUGH. *"What you do still betters what is done."*
C. Club, R.O.T.C., Bars and Chevrons, Courtesy Squad, Junior Revue, Baseball.

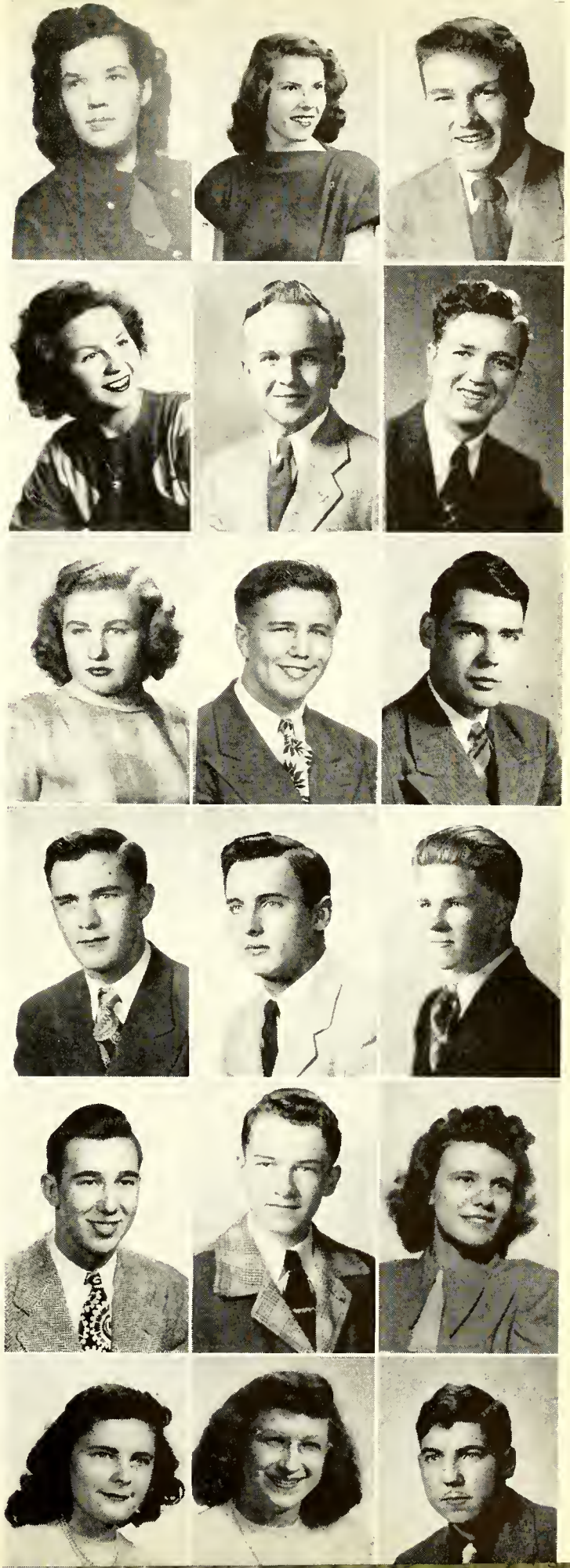
EDWARD COLE. *"A little nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest men."*
Courtesy Squad, Vice-Pres. Bars and Chevrons, R. O.T.C., Orchestra.

SHIRLEANNE COLE. *"Sweet, an excellent thing in women."*
Glee Club, Saga Typist, Make-up for Senior Play, Skating and collecting snap-shots.

BETTY CONANT. *"Sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb."*

MARILYN COOPER. *"I could be content to entertain the tag-end of my life with quiet hours."*

JACK CORCORAN. *"I've taken my fun where I've found it."*
R.O.T.C., Courtesy Squad.



THEO CROSS. *"Did you ever see a dream walking?"*

Senior Band, Saga, Student Council, Courtesy Squad, Y-Teens, A.B., Junior Revue, Amicitia.

GEORGE DATEMA. *"Everyone excels in something in which another fails."*

Junior Revue. Hunting, baseball.

BEVERLY DAVEY. *"An angel and if not, an earthly paragon."*

Amicitia, Latin Club, A.B., Circulation Staff, Y-Teens, Library Club, Sang Ave Marie in Gloria.

MARILYN DAVIS. *"That could be moved to smile at any time."*

Saga, Spanish Club, Junior Honor Society, Horizon Club, Y-Teens, A.B., Courtesy Squad, Senior Ushers, Hikers, Secretary of Senior Class, Junior Revue.

BETTY ANN DECKER. *"In her tongue is the law of kindness."*

MARJORIE DE KORTE. *"In thy face I see the map of honor, truth, and loyalty."*

WILLIAM DE MANN. *"Men of few words are the best men."*

FREDA DE MAYER. *"The sweetest thing that ever grew beside an open door."*

Usher for Junior Revue.

MARJORIE DE NEUT. *"Good nature is the very air of a good mind."*

Amicitia, Junior Revue, Y-Teens, "Alma" in Senior Play, Junior Honor Society, Senior Ushers, Treas. of A.B., Courtesy Squad, Student Council, Latin Club, Choir.

LORRAINE DENT. *"A woman is a dish for the Gods."*

Choir, Y-Teens, Junior Revue, Sextet, Gloria, A.B.

BRUCE DOANE. *"I dare do all that may become a man."*

Hi-Y, C-Club, Science Club, Courtesy Squad, Gloria, Baseball (Capt.), Senior Ushers, Hi-Y Basketball Squad, Echo Sports Editor.

ANN DOWNS. *"A good heart is worth gold."*

A.B., Spanish Club, Usher for Junior Revue, Glee Club.

DOROTHY DRAKE. *"Politeness is good nature regulated by good sense."*

JOYCE DRYER. *"A thing of beauty is a joy forever."*

Amicitia, Senior Honor Society, Junior Honor Society, Choir, Latin Club, A.B., Y-Teens, Courtesy Squad.

VIRGINIA DUIKER. *"Will and wisdom are born with man."*

Editor-in-Chief of Echo, Junior and Senior Honor Societies, Latin Club, A.B., Senior Ushers, Courtesy Squad, Quill and Scroll.

LAURIN DUNN. *"Have more than thou showest, speak less than thou knowest."*

Science Club, Hi-Y, Baseball team.

EDNA DYKSTRA. *"Will is character in action."*

Library Club for three years.

DELORES ELLIS. *"Shall I compare thee to a summer day?"*

Y-Teens, Hikers Club, A.B., Junior Revue.

RICHARD ENDRES. *"I am sure care's an enemy to life."*
Football.

ROBERT ANDREW FELIX. *"Nimrod, the mighty hunter."*
Football, track, R.O.T.C. Hunting and fishing.

JACK FITZGERALD. *"Enough work to do and strength enough to do the work."*
Hunting and fishing.

ROSALEE FLEET. *"A lovely lady, garmented in light from her own beauty."*
Advertising solicitor for the Echo. Snow queen from Creston.

VIRGINIA FLEMING. *"Beauty is the best introduction."*
Y-Teens, Spanish Club, Dance director in Junior Revue, Horizon Club, Hikers Club, Courtesy Squad, Saga Staff, Majorette, A.B., Junior Honor Society.

JACK FOSTER. *"Genius is one per cent inspiration and ninety-nine per cent perspiration."*
Hi-Y, Student Council, R.O.T.C., Pres. of Science Club, Senior Honor Society, and Choir.

JOYCE FRITCH. *"The fairest garden in her looks, and in her mind the fairest books."*
Spanish Club, Junior and Senior Honor Society, Y-Teens, A.B., Courtesy Squad, Saga, Hikers Club, and Senior Usher.

JACK FUNK. *"His shining grin goes well with a sunny outlook."*

MARIE GABRICK. *"The smile that wouldn't come off."*
Junior Honor Society, Choir and Glee Club.. Dancing and ice-skating.

MARVA GARTER. *"She wears the rose of youth upon her."*
Sec. of Junior Class, Amicitia, Y-Teens, Latin Club, Senior Usher, A.B., Saga, One-Act Plays and Gloria Committees, Senior Play.

GERRY GASAR. *"Her heart was young and gay."*
Choir, Latin Club, Horizon Club, Courtesy Squad, Student Council, Y-Teens, A.B., and Junior Revue.

BERNICE GELDHOF. *"I feel that I am happier than I know."*
A.B., Usher in Junior Revue, and Courtesy Squad. Roller skating and collecting pictures.

DORIS GELDHOF. *"Laugh yourself into stitches."*
Usher in Junior Revue, A.B., Courtesy Squad, Usher for Senior Play.

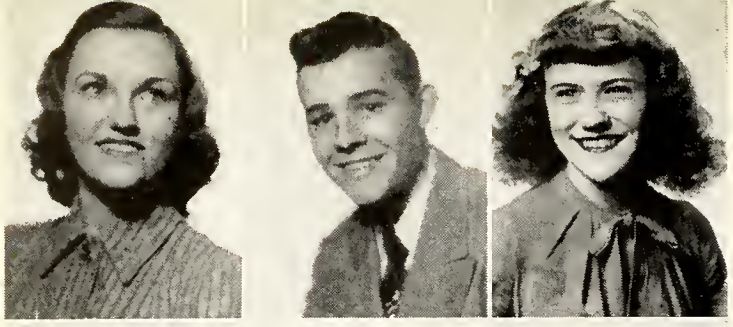
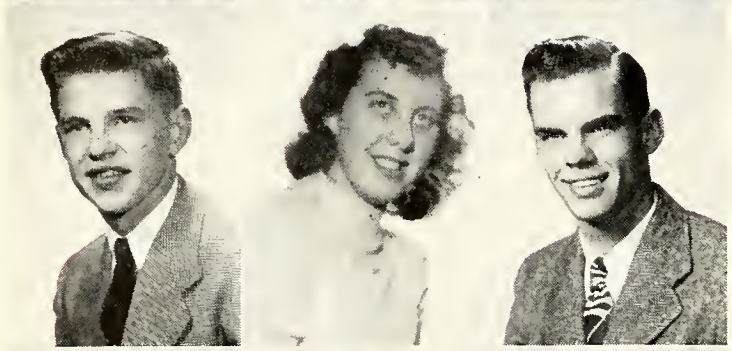
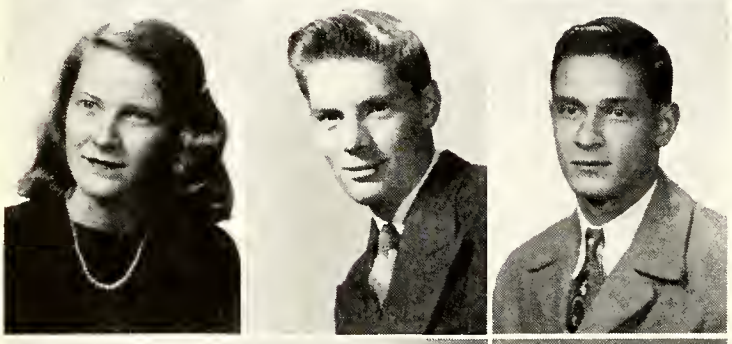
BILL GIBSON. *"He knew the precise psychological moment when to say nothing."*
Science Club and Junior Revue.

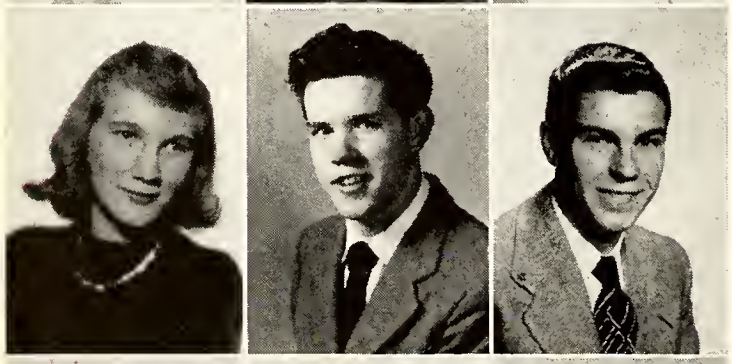
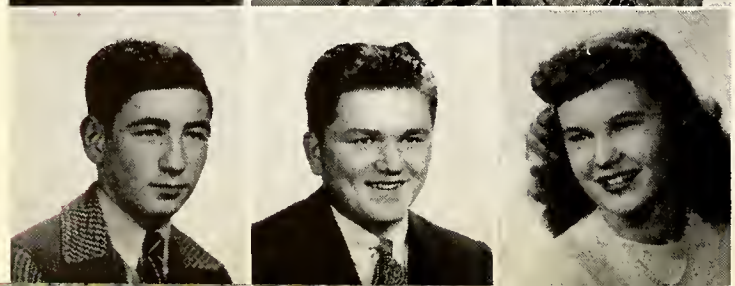
NORMA GILMAN. *"If you strike a thorne or rose, Keep a-goin'!"*
A.B., Y-Teens, Glee Club and Courtesy Squad.

JOAN GLASER. *"There's nothing so kingly as kindness."*
A.B., Library Club, Y-Teens.

ARDEN GOETHAL. *"Beauty as we see it, is something indescribable."*
A..B, Student Council, Junior Honor Society, Senior Play, Junior Revue, Y-Teens, Hikers Club, Courtesy Squad, and Echo Circulation Staff.

BILL GORSKI. *"An orator is a man who says what he thinks and thinks what he says."*
Science Club, Hi-Y, Student Council, Inter-High Student Council, Junior Revue, Juke Box and Hall Guard.

PHYLISS GOUDZWAARD. *"The place is dignified by the doer's deed."*
Y-Teens, Courtesy Squad, Amicitia, Hikers, Spanish Club, A. B.

JAY GRAVELYN. *"A lion among the ladies, a thing to behold."*
Football team, Track team, C-Club.

CHARLENE GRAY. *"Every artist dips his brush in his own soul, and paints his own nature into his pictures."*
A member of the A.B. Club, Hikers, Art.

ROGER HAADSMA. *"Modesty becomes a young man."*
Junior Revue. Likes skating and tobogganing.

DOLORIS HALL. *"A merry heart doeth good like medicine."*
A.B., Y-Teens, Courtesy Squad.

JERRY HALL. *"He is unvariably in a hurry."*
Worked in book store and fixed neon sign. His hobby is bowling.

RUTH HALL. *"The girl who the king delighteth to honor."*
Y-Teens, Ushers, Circulation Staff, Courtesy Squad, Library Club, Junior Revue.

ROBERT HAMACHER. *"Young accomplishments indicate the man."*
Courtesy Squad, Science Club, Junior Revue.

JOHN HARDING. *"Purposeful, born to succeed."*
A builder of model gasoline and steam engines.

JOAN HARKER. *"Tis good will makes intelligenec."*
Y-Teens, Hikers, A.B., Amicitia Club, Courtesy Squad, Junior Revue.

SYLVIA HARRIS. *"A wise and understanding heart."*
Hikers Club, Courtesy Squad, Junior Revue.

BETTY HAYNES. *"A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance."*
Hikers Club, Y-Teens, Junior Revue. Her hobby is magic.

LUANNE HENDRICKS. *"Her eyes are homes of silent song."*
Choir, A.B. Club, Y-Teens, Amicitia, Gloria, Junior Revue.

DICK HOAG. *"Men of talent are men for occasions."*
Band, Orchestra, Junior Revue, Amatuer Hour.

RICHARD HOEKSTRA. *"His smile is sweetened with his gravity."*
Courtesy Squad, Saga Staff, Building model boats and airplanes.

RICHARD HOGGATT. *"Let every man be master of his time."*
Architectural Drawing.

DENMAN HOLCOMB. *"By the work one knows the workman."*
His hobbies are Woodshop and Machine shop.

DONNA HOLTROP. *"There is nothing more fun than man."*
A.B. Club, Choir, Junior Revue, Ushers.

JOYCE HOOVER. *"Every woman's character is the arbiter of her fortune."*
Junior Honor Society, A. B., Latin Club, Library Club, Courtesy Squad, Y-Teens.

HELEN HOUSER. *"Subtract the reserve and what have you; honest beauty."*
Saga Co-Editor, Y-Teens, Amicitia, Junior and Senior Honor Society, Forensics, Junior Revue, Gloria, A. B., Latin Club.

LOIS HUTTINGA. *"Look, the brown eyed sprite."*
Junior Revue, A. B., Junior Ushers, Library Club, Y-Teens, Echo Advertising Staff.

MERRILL IVEY. *"In nature's infinite books of secrecy a little I can read."*
Junior Revue, Second Choir, R.O.T.C.

JOAN JACKSON. *"Smile essence of gaiety."*
Amicitia, A.B., Junior and Senior Honor Society, Latin Club, Y-Teens, Senior Ushers, Echo Staff, Junior Revue.

VIRGINIA KASTELINE. *"Her sunny locks hang on her temple as the golden fleece."*
Junior Ushers, A.B., Librarian in Glee Club.

HELEN KATZ. *"The language of the tones belong to her."*
Choir, Sextette, Y-Teens, Gloria.

EDWARD KEEGSTRA. *"What's all this hustle, haste, and hurry; be like me, I never worry."*
Science Club, Hi-Y, Junior Honor Society, Saga, Junior Amateur Hour, Junior Revue.

EUGENE KELLY. *"Humor is the harmony of the heart."*
Junior Honor Society, Latin Club, Hi-Y.

NANCY KIETZMAN. *"The grass stoops not, she treads on it so lightly."*
One-Act Plays, Echo Staff, Debator, Assistant Director of the Gloria, Senior Play.

ELJEAN KINSLEY. *"Let me laugh for I am gay."*
A.B., Amicitia, Courtesy Squad.

ELDON KLASSEN. *"Nimble thought can jump both sea and land."*
Science Club, Junior and Senior Honor Society, Hi-Y, Treasurer of the Senior Class.

GERALDINE KLAP. *"Nothing is so popular as kindness."*
A.B., Latin Club, Junior Honor Society, Courtesy Squad, Junior Revue, Y-Teens, A-Cappela Choir, Ushers, Amicitia.

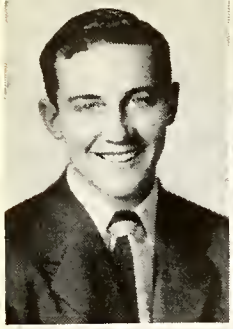
EUGENE KOSKEY. *"Where there's music, there's mischief."*
Band, Hi-Y, Orchestra, Latin Club, Junior Revue, R.O.T.C.

LANE LARAWAY. *"A wise man will make more opportunities than he finds."*

PAT LEESE. *"One hearty laugh is a bombshell exploding in the right place."*
A.B., Courtesy Squad, Y-Teens, Junior Honor Society, Echo Staff, Senior Ushers, Amicitia, Junior Revue, Senior Play.

JEROME LEWIS. *"A merry heart is good like medicine."*
Hi-Y, Football, Baseball, C-Club.

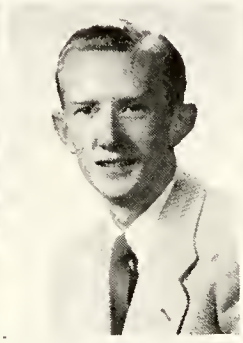
JOYCE LEWIS. *"It is easier to grow in dignity than make a start."*
Senior Ushers, Courtesy Squad, Latin Club, Junior Revue, Junior Honor Society, Echo.



BOB LOOMIS. *"Win or lose, the game's the thing."*
Football, C-Club.

SHIRLEY LUTZ. *"Her modest manners found relief in girlish giggles."*
Spanish Club.

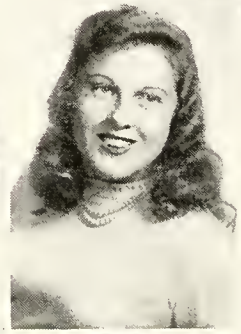
BONNIE McALLISTER. *"She's the orament of her sex."*
Orchestra, Junior and Senior Honor Society, Y-Teens, Spanish Club, Junior Revue, Senior Play, Echo Staff, and Courtesy Squad.



PAULINE McINTYRE. *"With a pleasant nature that never varies."*
Latin Club, and Second Choir.

JAMES McLEAN. *"Blushing is the color of virtue."*
Courtesy Squad.

GERTRUDE MEEK. *"Amiability shines by its own light."*
Junior Revue.

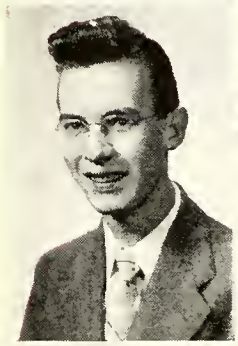


CHARLOTTE MEINKE. *"I try all things, I achieve what I can."*
A.B., Saga Staff, Junior Revue, Junior Honor Society, and Courtesy Squad.

DOROTHY MELPOLDER. *"Goodwill is the mightiest practical force in the universe."*

LOU ANNE MIERAS. *"There is no genius in life like the genius of energy and activity."*
A.B., and Courtesy Squad.

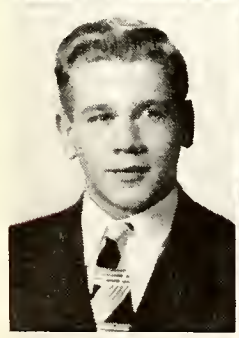
JACK MILLER. *"A man who chooses with careful eye."*
Bars and Chevrons Club.

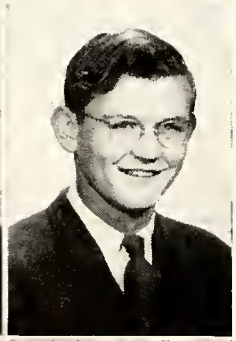


MARILYN MILLER. *"Something to dream about."*
Saga Staff, Junior Revue, Senior Girl Reserve, Amicitia, A.B., Latin Club, Senior Usher, Senior Play.

PATRICIA MILLER. *"Rich in gentle smile and sunny."*
Hiker's Club, Saga Typist.

HOWARD MINER. *"He'll play a small game rather than stand out."*
Orchestra, Latin Club, Science Club, Hi-Y, Choir, C-Club, Bible Club, Circulation Staff, Courtesy Squad, Track, Football.





LOIS MINER. *"Quiet and unassuming, yet ever loyal."*
Orchestra, Courtesy Squad, Y-Teens.

PATRICK MITCHELL. *"Moderation, the noble gift of Heaven."*

ARLENE MOL. *"The sight of you is good for sore eyes."*
A.B., Courtesy Squad, Choir, Student Council.

BARBARA MONTGOMERY. *"It is better to wear out, than to rust out."*
Vice Pres. of Junior Class, A.B., Y-Teens, Spanish Club, Junior Honor Society, Choir, Courtesy Squad, Echo and Saga Circulation, Junior Revue, Gloria, Senior Play.

BARBARA MORGAN. *"Beauty should be kind as well as charm."*
A.B., Junior Revue, Senior Y-Teens, Junior Honor Society, Saga Staff.

EDWARD MOTT. *"Where there is a will, there is a way."*
R.O.T.C., Stage Crew, Junior Revue.

BETTY NEDERVELD. *"A smile is the whisper of a laugh."*
Y-Teens, Gloria, Junior Revue.

JAMES NORTIER. *"Roll on, thou bowling ball, roll on through pathless realms of space, Roll on!"*
Bowling.

YVONNE OLSEN. *"She had the simple charm and delicate vigor of a flower."*
Student Council, Hikers Club, Latin Club, Horizon Club, Echo Staff.

JERRY OLSEN. *"Swift and easy grace, a gift of the Gods."*
C-Club, Hi-Y, Football, Basketball Co-captain, Courtesy Squad, Junior Revue.

MARY LEE O'NEILL. *"A friend in need is a friend indeed."*
Usher in Junior Revue, Roller Skating.

MARILYN OTTE. *"Your heart hangeth on a jolly pin."*
Y-Teens Treasurer, Gloria, Junior Revue, A.B., Second Choir.

GLEN OZINGA. *"A friend who is sincere."*
Hi-Y, A-Cappella Choir, Bible Club, Science Club, C-Club, Football, 3rd Team Basketball Coach, Track, 2nd Team Basketball.

RUSSELL PARKER. *"Here's to the pilots who weathered the storm."*

ALBERTA PELLETIER. *"Kindness as large and plain as a prairie wind."*
Ice-skating, swimming, Sports.

ELMA PERVOISE. *"How sweet and gracious even in common speech."*
Sports.

EVELYN PETERSON. *"For all knowledge is an impression of pleasure in itself."*

BILL PILLSBURY. *"Virtue is the performance of pleasant action."*
Courtesy Squad, Circulation Staff, Co-editor-in-chief of Saga, Junior Amateur Hour, Junior Revue.

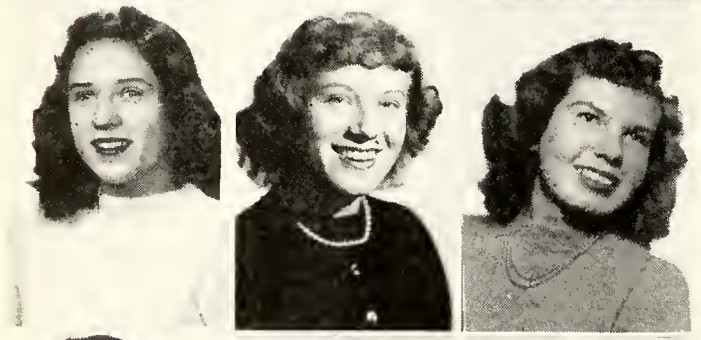
STARLING POST. *"Her bright smile haunts me still."*
Latin Club, Ice-skating and Swimming.

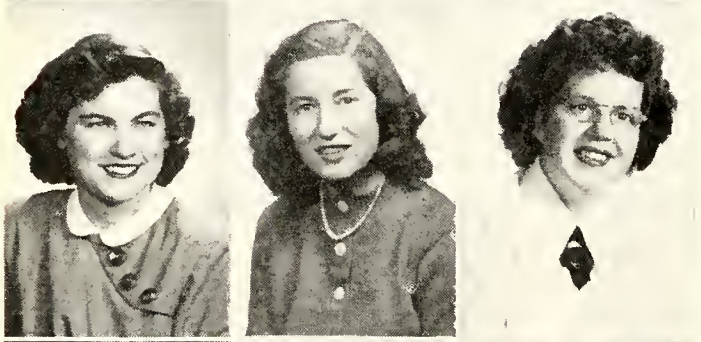
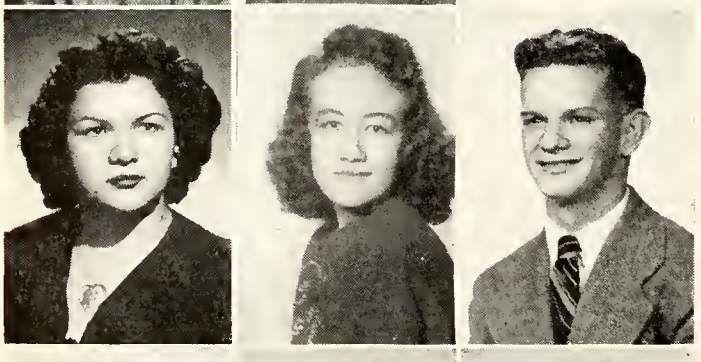
WARREN RATZ. *"The language of tones belong equally to all mankind."*
Vice-president of Band, Junior Amateur Hour, Junior Revue, Science Club, Orchestra.

ALBERT RASIKAS. *"And say to all the world, 'This was a man'."*
Co-captain Football, Hi-Y, C-Club, Track Co-captain.

HARLEY RAWSON. *"A sure anchor in the wildest storm."*
Hi-Y.

PAT RAYMER. *"The rising blushes, which her cheek o'er spread, are opening roses on a lily's bed."*
Creston's alternate for Snow Queen, Color Guard.



DAWN RETERSTORF. *"Kindness is the beginning and end of law."*

Usher, Courtesy Squad, Collecting animal banks.

PHILLIS RICHARDSON. *"Manner, not gold, is a woman's best adornment."*

Vice-pres. Amicitia, Debate, Senior Play, Junior Revue, Color Guard, Student Council, Co-Ed Council, One-Acts, Circulation Staff, Gloria, A.B.

JERRY RIEMER. *"Small showers last long, but sudden storms are short."*

Model Airplanes.

JANE ROBINETTE. *"The highest wisdom is eternal cheerfulness."*

Amicitia, A.B., Courtesy Squad, water skiing, swimming, ice-skating.

DONNA LEE ROBINSON. *"Goodness has neither rhyme no reason."*

Amicitia, Y-Teens, Courtesy Squad, Spanish Club, Echo, Saga, Senior Usher, Junior Revue, Junior Honor Society, Student Council, Circulation Staff, Senior Play.

NANCY ROBINSON. *"Happy is the house that shelters a friend."*

Latin Club, Hikers Club, A.B., Swimming, Skating.

MARY ROCKWELL. *"I never knew so young a body with so old a head."*

Hikers Club, A-Cappella Choir, Skiing, Skating, Tobogganing.

MARY ROHR. *"Her hair shall be of what color it please God."*

A.B., Courtesy Squad.

JACK ROSE. *"And thank heaven for the good man and his friendship."*

Science Club, Hi-Y, C-Club, President of Junior Class, Football Co-captain, Basketball, Track Captain, Student Council.

DORIS ROSEL. *"A pleasant companion is as good as a coach."*

A.B., Y-Teens, Horseback riding.

MARTHA RUSSELL. *"All experience is an arch to build upon."*

Echo, One-Act Plays, Latin Club, A.B., Senior Usher, Junior Revue, Y-Teens.

POLLY SCHULTE. *"In the twinkling of an eye."*

Latin Club, Courtesy Squad, Senior Ushers, Roller skating, swimming.

FRANCES SCOTT. *"Courtesy is a science of the highest importance."*

Hikers Club, A-Cappella Choir, Raising various kinds of plants.

SHIRLEY SHARP. *"My aim in life is to win lost souls for the Lord Jesus Christ."*

Glee Club, Music.

TED SIEREVELD. *"He profits most, who serves best."*

Science Club, Modelairs (Treasurer), C-Club, (President), Football, Machine Shop Mathematics.

JERRY SMITH. *"Nimrod the mighty hunter."*

Modelairs, Woodwork, hunting, fishing.

RHODA SMITTER. *"Her hair gleamed like molten gold in the firelight."*

Ice Skating, Horseback Riding.

RUTH SMITTER. *"Her tones were soft as the west wind's sigh."*

Ice Skating, Swimming.

DON RALPH SNYDER. *"Gentle to others, to himself severe."*
Spanish Club, Science Club, R.O.T.C., Bars and Chevrons.

MARIAN SPANGENBERG. *Beautiful behavior is the finest of fine arts."*
Junior Girl Reserves, A.B., Hikers Club.

DOUGLAS SPANOGLE. *"The world belongs to the enthusiast who keeps cool."*

ELNORA STADT. *"A merry heart doeth good like medicine."*

ROBERT STADT. *"He that is of a merry heart hath a continual feast."*
R.O.T.C.

BETTE STEED. *"Happiness is a wine of the rarest vintage."*
A.B. Club.

SUZANNE STEGMIER. *"The world belongs to the energetic."*
Courtesy Squad, Amicitia, Library Club, A.B., Spanish Club, Circulation Staff Manager, Y-Teens, Saga, Ushers, Student Council, Junior Revue, Horizon Club, Vice-President of Senior Class.

GORDON STONE. *"All men of action are dreamers."*
Football, Hi-Y, Choir, Circulation Staff, C-Club, Junior Revue.

MARIJANE STOUTJESDYK. *"Youth is the opportunity to do something and become somebody."*
Junior Girl Reserves, A.B. Club, Hiker's Club.

GERALD STRATTON. *"I'll warrant him good hearted."*
Courtesy Squad.

JAMES STRYKER. *"Oh, give us a man who sings at his work."*
Hi-Y, Gloria, Junior Revue, Choir, Science Club, Senior Play.

MARCIA STUIT. *"And her modest answer and graceful air shows her wise and good as she is fair."*
Junior Revue, Courtesy Squad, Choir.

WILLIAM STURRUS. *"Given the assurance of the world."*
Hi-y, Science Club, Courtesy Squad, Senior Band. Senior Play.

DANNY SULLIVAN. *"A light heart lives long."*

JOHN TEN HAVE. *"For his ambition has no risk."*
Science Club, Hi-Y, Treasurer of Junior Class, Latin Club, Courtesy Squad, Senior Ushers, Junior Revue, Senior Class President.

ALTA THOMPSON. *"Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow we diet."*
Junior Revue, A.B., Courtesy Squad, Junior Honor Society, Library Club.

MONTE THOMPSON. *"In thy face I see the map of honour, truth, and loyalty."*

JUDY TOFT. *"Her nimble feet and merry smile will help her along many a mile."*
One-Acts, Y-Teens, Courtesy Squad, Junior Girl Reserves, Junio Honor Society, Senior Play.

DONALD TRAUGER. *"Patience is a necessary ingedient of genius."*
Treasurer of Science Club and member of Tennis team.

JOAN TUFFS. *"All musical people seem to be happy."*
Courtesy Squad, Choir, Gloria.

MARTHA TUINSTRA. *"There is nothing like the sun that shines today."*
Courtesy Squad.

JAY TUTTLE. *"Ambition is the seed from which all nobliness proceeds."*

ROGER VAN ASSEN. *"None but himself can be his parallel."*
Basketball, Baseball, All-City Basketball.

GERALDINE VANDER BREGGEN. *"Laugh and be merry; remember, better the world with a song."*
Hikers Club, Second Choir, Junior Revue.

LESLIE VANDER JAGT. *"God bless the man who first invented sleep."*
Hi-Y, Latin Club, Science Club.

ALBERT VANDER LAAN. *"Yoicks! Yoicks! A hunting we will go."*
Choir, Gloria, Junior Revue, Junior Honor Society.

LOIS VANDER MOLEN. *"She adorned whatever subject she either spoke or wrote upon."*

WILLIAM VANDER STEL. *"A faultless body and a blameless mind."*
Hunting, Skiing, and Baseball.

CORRINE VANDER STOLP. *"Good humor is the health of the soul."*
Hikers Club, Junior Revue.

MURIEL VANDER WALL. *"Her modest looks the cottage might adorn, sweet as the primrose peeps beneath the thorn."*

DAVID VAN DYKE. *"I hope I have the leisure to make good."*
Science Club, Hi-Y, Saga Staff, Latin Club, Senior Ushers, Circulation Staff, Senior Play, Junior Revue.

BERNADINE VAN ESS. *"What sunshine is to flowers, smiles are to humanity."*
Hikers Club, A.B. Club, Y-Teens.

JOAN VAN ESS. *"She is pretty to walk with, witty to talk with, and pleasant too."*
Junior Honor Society, Junior Girl Reserves, A.B. Club, Courtesy Squad.

RUTH VAN HOUTE. *"Hail, ye small, sweet courtesies of life, for smooth do ye make the road of it."*
Echo Staff, Choir, Debate, Junior Revue, A.B. Club, Gloria, One-Act Plays, Senior Play.

JAMES VAN OFLEN. *"He is wise who knows the sources of knowledge."*
Junior Revue.

DALE VAN STEE. *"The wisest man is generally he who thinks himself the least so."*
R.O.T.C. and Treasurer of Bars and Chevrons.

ARTHUR VELTMAN. *"Smile, as the morning sun."*
Junior Revue, Latin Club, Water-skiing surf-boarding and boating.

ARDITH WALL. *"She's all my fancy painted her."*

JEAN WARRENTON. *"Enthusiasm is the genius of sincerity."*
A-Cappella Choir, Librarian, Hikers' Club, Reading, listening to music, singing, hiking, and dancing.

DOUGLAS WEEKS. *"Great men gain doubly when they make foes their friends."*
Hi-Y, Courtesy Squad, Junior Revue, Track, Football.

ROBERT WELLS. *"We may be personally defeated, but our principles never."*

ART WESTVEER. *"Tis very sure the desire for life prolongs it."*

BETTY WHIP. *"Keep appearances whatever you do."*
Hikers Club.

ELEANOR WILDEY. *"Originality is simply a pair of fresh eyes."*
Echo Business Manager, Spanish Club, A.B., Junior Revue, Quill and Scroll.

VERNON WILKINS. *"Oh for rod and a hook, and a nice quiet brook."*
Hunting and fishing.

BETTY WYNSMA. *"Reading maketh a full mind."*
Hikers Club, Glee Club, Reading.

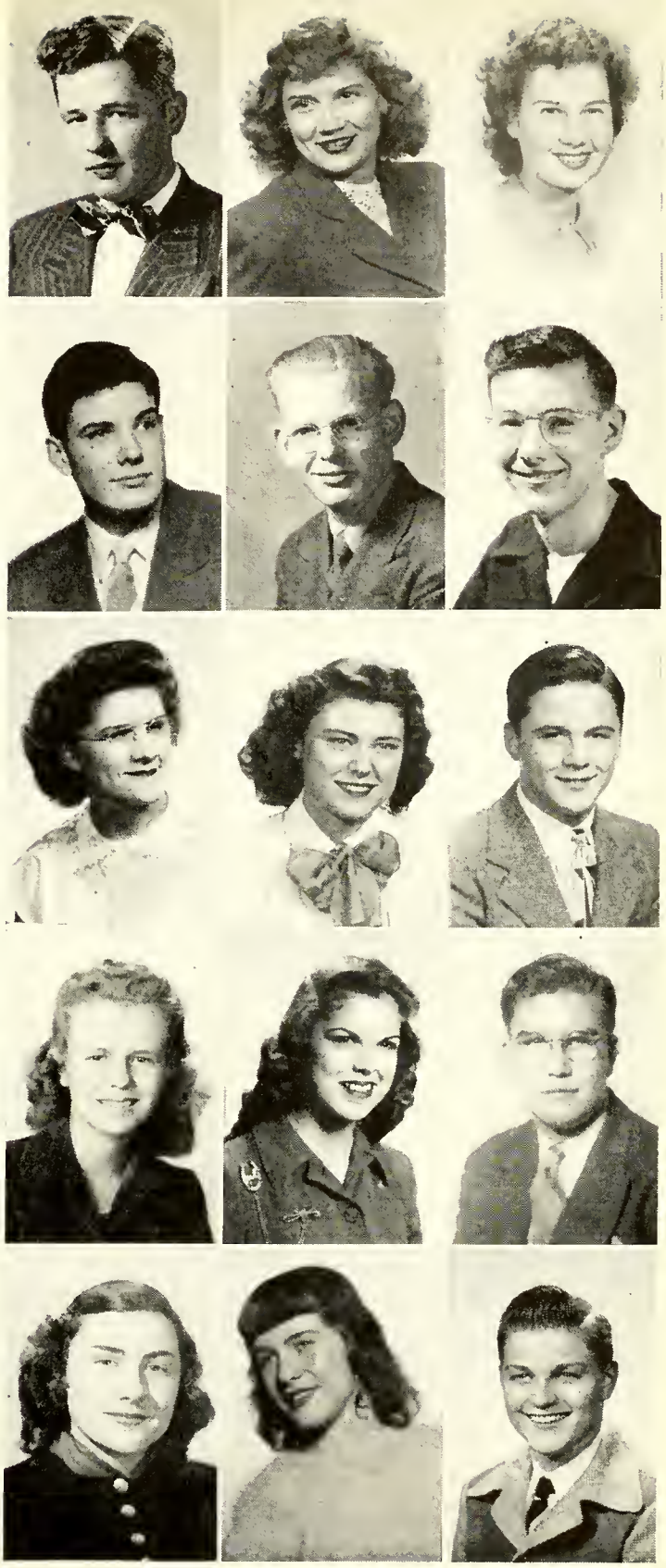
MARY WILSON. *"She walks in beauty like a night of cloudless climes and stormy skies."*
Y-Teens, Spanish Club, A.B., Mrs. Little in Senior Play.

JACK WINTERS. *"Silence is golden, but little gold he has."*
Science Club, Hi-Y, Latin Club.

INGE WOLFF. *"When fortune favors us, popularity bears his company."*
Pres. Spanish Club, Vice Pres. Latin Club, Vice Chairman of Kent Junior Red Cross, Courtesy Squad, Library Club, Y-Teens, Junior Revue, Echo, Student Council.

LOIS WRIGHT. *"The best of things come in small packages."*

JAMES YOST. *"Write me down as one who loves my fellow men."*
R.O.T.C., Printing.



The Moon—1973

SNAP — "Oh! Oh! There goes the aerial on my moon suit. And that tall clumsy luna man behind me broke it. Say Mac, what's the idea? Hey, wait! Aren't you Ed Keegstra '48?"

"Sure bud, and you must be Dave Van Dyke. I haven't seen you since our high school days in the early jet period. Seems it was way back after World War II. You know, I wonder what became of some of our school mates?"

"Well say, just the other day I was looking in the 'Who's Who of the Universe' and I recognized some of our old classmates. Howard Miner is one of the most successful undertakers down on earth and Suzy Stegmier was Vice-President four years ago."

"Yes, and Doug Weeks is head psychiatrist at Kalamazoo, Michigan, with several of our old friends and teachers in his care. His wife, the former Pat Raymer, and Lois Wright are atomic milliners in New York. It seems the reason they can commute so rapidly is that Jim Yost, Russ Parker, and Jim Stryker are jet taxi drivers in the United States. You know, I often wonder what happened to John Ten Have, our class president."

"Well, he was the mayor of North Park the last I heard, with Jack Rose his only street cleaner, but you haven't heard the best yet. 'Mick' Boylen, Bob Loomis and Jerry Avery are missionaries in outer Mongolia on the earth."

"Say, that was a funny turn of fate and here's another one. Bruce Doane is the thin man, Phyllis Richardson is the strong lady and Helen Katz is the tatooed woman in a side show. Science is well represented in the old grad's too. Gerard Akkerhius, Jack Foster, and Dick Endres are on the advisory board for Interplanetary atomic control. The famous team of Stratton and Stone are making millions now with their new vitamin W."

"The firm, De Mann, De Neut, De Mayer, De Korte is succeeding in their sauer kraut enterprise on the moon and Alta Thompson is one of their best dieticians. There are some of our old friends who are in politics too. They are Dan Brown and Bob Card. Marilyn Miller and Marva Garter are scoop shovel operators and campaigning on the side for the removal of subways in Marne."

"That's nothing. Doug Spanogle and Albert Rasikas are jet plane manufacturers and their chief designers are Judy Toft, Martha Russell, and Joan Jackson. Ruth and Rhoda Smitter are detectives, and one of the best secret service squads in the universe is in charge of Dr. Don Chandler and his aide Bill Sturrus.

"Dear old Creston is now piloted by George Datema with Windy Winters, Rog Van Assen, and Donna Lee Robinson his head coaches. Hot Licks Hoag is the hottest drummer in Gene Koskey's Jazz Band, and elongated Dan Antrim blows a mean trumpet too. Pete Anderson and Art Veltman now own the Coca Cola Company and are rapidly soaking up their assets. Jay (Swoon) Gravelyn has turned from sports to the movies and Babe Goudzwaard is still woman's golf and track champ.

Who's Who in 25 Years

Norman Chesebrough and Laurin Dunn are now military high monkey-monks and the following are in the service: Bill Berry, intelligence; Bill Byl, Air Corps; Jerry Hall, Jet Cycle communication; and Ed Cole, decontamination corps."

"Betty Wynsma and Starling Post now are woman social reporters, and Inge Wolff is a noted lecturer. Rog Haadsma owns the Interplanetary Milk Corporation, and Denman Holcomb and Art Westveer milk his cows. John Harding and Harley Rawson have a good business now, repairing old wrecks and making them look like new."

"Look here! It says that Ruth Van Houte and Beverly Davey are pretty good paper hangers and Leslie Vander Jagt makes paste. Ardith Tuffs, Mary Wilson, and Bernadine Van Ess are starting out in the new profession of Aerrial Traffic Cops."

"Here is the obituary for quite a few years back. It seems that there haven't been many fatalities in the class of '48 but there were some unlucky ones. Jim Boluyt was blown up by his own chemistry set. Luanne Hendricks forgot her safety belt and fell out of an airplane, Bob Hamacher was electrocuted by one of his crazy inventions, and Jack Miller was shot by his jealous rival Jay Tuttle."

"Jerry Olson, after his basketball career, got married and is now training ten little Olsons. That is not the largest family by far for Donna Holtrop has a record-breaking brood of twenty-three."

"Our class has a few criminals in it too. Ma Houser is in Sing Sing for a twenty five year stretch with her companion Killer Meinke. Eldon Klaassen hasn't made so good yet. He's a small time pick-pocket in Luna City.

"Many of the girls in our class have turned out to be happy housewives too. Pat Leese, Shirley Sharpe, Marilyn Otte, Nancy Robinson, and Francis Scott are all very happily running their husbands' lives. The name of Blasing is now famous for the Blasing Sextuplets."

"The entertainment world is well represented by our class. Eugene Kelly is a well known crooner in a swank night club, and is backed up by the Anderson trio. Bob Felix is entertaining many people now with his magicians act, and Corinne Vander Stolp and her "Mighty Mice" have just completed an engagement at Briggs Stadium. Remember Bonnie McAllister? Well, she's a mystic now and is doing quite a business with such gullible society people as Joyce Dryer, Gerry Klap, and Barbara Morgan."

"Jerry Olson, after his basketball career, got married and on the side. Jack Funk is now serving ninety-nine years in prison for polygamy. His previous wives, Jane Robinette, Lois Huttenga, Betty Steed, Norma Gilman, and Arden Goethal are running his 5,000 acre farm in his absence."

"Albert Vander Laan was a victim of his jet propelled hot rod and Shirley Cole is now traveling with a circus running a merry-go-round. William Vander Stel sells refills for atomic engines with John Van Loon as his mechanic."

"It seems that Theo Cross hasn't done too well. She is now a scrubwoman at the Waldorf-Astoria. The team of

Bailey, Barnum, Barker, and Bassett is running a Turkish Bath establishment, open only to members of the class of '48. Jack Corcoran and Robert Corwin now own the first thriving air line between here and Mars."

"Dale Racey and Clyde Rennie are minnow merchants in the province of Manitoba. The Retersdorf, Kinsley, and Andrews Rabbit, Raccoon, and Rooster Raising Ranch is certainly succeeding so far. Oh yes, and Jean Warrenton, Muriel Vander Wall, and Eleanor Wildey have just returned from the heart of Africa with a shipload of savage wild animals."

"A nursery school class of two year olds is being taught by Betty Decker, with the able assistance of Yvonne Olsen. Betty Whip and Joan Van Ess are bustle stylists but their business is dragging behind somewhat. Our old hangout, Joppe's dairy, is now run by Robert Wells, and Dale Van Stee owns a grocery super market in the vicinity. Vernon Wilking and Jim Van Oflen are right next door to Joppe's, working for the McFadden Septic Tank Company."

"Esther Boot and Mary Rockwell have inveted a new 'White Blacboard', but have not been able to find a piece of blackwhite chalk to write on the 'White Blackboard'. Barb Benham has now taken over Kate's duties at Creston. Delores Block is the new proprietor of Marian Byl's fish market on Plainfield. Lois Vander Molen and Betty Conant are disillusioned old maids while Marilyn Cooper is in court again getting her fifth divorce."

"A few accomplished women are: Marilyn Davis, who is the only woman president of a man's college; Lorraine Dent, who is the Postmistress General at the present moment; and Elaine Alyea, who is at the head of the F. B. I."

"Look here! Barbara Bowersox is running a home for aged cats, while George Chapin, a bachelor because of his trade, runs a mouse farm. Gail Brillhart is heading a committee on research to find a cure for hiccups. A new DAV-EN-SPORT has been invented by Ronald Antrim and Mary Rohr. Rosel, Schlientz, and Schulte cooperate in making a car without a motor. The secret of its power has not yet been revealed. Dan Champion and Ed Butler are running a diaper service and some of their best customers are Joyce Fritch, Marie Gabrick, Charlene Gray, and Dolores Hall."

"Marian Spangenberg and Elnora Stadt are manufacturers of left-handed door knobs. Ted Sierveld has the job of training wild toy terriers. Gerald Smith, Don Snyder, and Robert Stadt have invented an invisible windshield wiper. Danny Sullivan and Monte Thompson have perfected dry water for swimmers who are afraid of getting wet. Marijane Stoutjesdyk and Marcia Stuit are teaching ducks to walk without a waddle for R.K.O.'s latest picture "The Darling Ducklets". Martha Tuinstra and Geraldine Vander Breggen have developed better numerical figures for use in Algbra."

"Of news to all school pupils is the simplified school calendar for schools perfected by Bill Roest and Don Trauger. The school year consists of one month of 19 days. Virginia Duiker, Betty Nederveld, and Joanne Glaser are very happy in their duplex house on the North Pole. Pat Miller has recently been promoted to vice-president of Woolworth's. Lou Anne Mieras and Mary Lee O'Niel are having their ups and downs. They operate elevators in the World Embassy. Frank Milane is an oil baron in the west and an honorary Idian Chief. Alberta Pelletier, Elma Pervorse, and Evelyn Peterson are on the Olympics swimming team and seriously thinking of retiring in the next ten years."

"Doris and Bernice Geldhof are toe dancers and have traveled over most of the world with a dancing group. Joyce Hoover is in Turkey as wife of the ambassador. Rosalee Fleet and Delores Ellis have made a small fortune following the ponies. Dorothy Drake, Edna Dykstra, and Bill Gorski are in charge of an old ladies home. Virginia Fleming, Joan Harker, and Gerry Gasar have succeeded in obtaining their woman's rights. They are now independent garbage collectors."

"As a result of her magic, Betty Haynes changed Richard Hoggatt, Richard Hoekstra, and Russ Hogendyk into mice. They were devoured by a pet cat. The mystery of the flying saucers has been found by William Driftmeyer, Jack Fitzgerald, and Paul Hallstedt. They have just been admitted into an institution after trying to invent a one-wheeled motorcycle. Sylvia Harris, Ruth Hall, and Ann Downs were testing parachutes until some flaws were found in the last ones they tested. Robert Hoogerhyde is topping timber in the west. Arlene Mol and Barb Montgomery are very busy now designing and painting signs for Burma Shave."

"Glen Ogden and Dale Racey are completing their post graduate course at Creston this year. Merrill Ivey, Donald Arndt, and Ed Mott all live on a poor farm. They lost millions on Wall Street in the last depression. Pat Mitchell was one of the few racing pilots left in the world until his injet exploded. Nancy Kietzman is a riveter at Willow Run. She rivets on the inside of plane wings since she is so small."

"Bill Pillsbury is publishing the Thursday Evening Post and is in strong competition with Benjamin Frankln's weekly magazine. Virginia Kasteline and Gertrude Meek own a dishwashing factory. They got their idea while on K. P. at a Wac camp. Glen Ozinga is a sport's announcer in California. His specialty is the Rose Bowl game. Lois Minor plays with the Grand Rapids Chicks and is the oldest player in the league. Warren Raatz is a barber and has constructed a special ledge on the chair so he can reach his customers. Jim Nortier has risen in the ranks of the merchant seaman and now captains a peanut boat from here to Africa.

"Dorothy Melpolder and Pauline McIntyre travel with the rodeo and are rope twirlers. In the last reports, Jim McLean was exploring the upper Amazon in search of a green striped butterfly. Joyce Lewis is a chemistry professor at Harvard. Lane Laraway is fight manager for "Benny the Bruiser." Shirley Lutz is very busy tying pretzels."

"Look, there's just one more! Jerry Lewis has retired on the income from his special corn plasters. He invented them after delivering mail for 20 years.

"It's too bad we weren't as successful as our schoolmates. I invested all my money on the fake Van Dyke gold mine here on the moon and I'm now considered a lunar hobo.

"Tough luck. Seems I squandered all your money, so I'm hopping the next space freight for Earth. Hope I don't see you some time again."

Senior Directory

Gerard Akkerhuis.....1150 Diamond Ave., N. E.
Elaine Joy Alyea.....444 Spencer St., N. E.
Ardyth Lee Anderson.....1518 North Ave., N. E.
Evelyn Ruth Anderson.....411 Quimby St., N. E.
Peter B. Anderson.....1932 Coit Ave., N. E.
Shirley Mae Anderson.....2056 Sinclair Ave., N. E.
Margaret Ann Andrews.....2042 Swensberg Ave., N. E.
Daniel Rokos Antrim.....1025 Dorroll St., N. E.
Ronald Antrim.....500 Kenwood St., N. E.
Donald Arndt.....42 Quimby St., N. E.
Gerald A. Avery.....715 Spencer St., N. E.
Norine Anne Bailey.....449 Carrier St., N. E.
Angela Ben Barker.....Marne
Mary Lou Barnum.....2739 4-Mile Rd., N. E.
Doris Bassett.....1022 Beechwood St., N. E.
Barbara A. Benham.....117 Travis St., N. E.
Sharon L. Blasing.....1160 Oaklawn St., N. E.
Dolores Ann Block.....1317 Mason St., N. E.
James John Boluyt.....412 Shirley St., N. E.
Esther Mae Boot.....1133 Spring Ave., N. E.
Barbara Bowersox.....236 Dean St., N. E.
Lawrence Edward Boylen (Mick).....1134 Paris Ave., N. E.
Gail Elaine Brillhart.....2365 Knapp Rd., N. E.
Daniel C. Brown.....431 Dale St., N. E.
George Edward Butler.....1320 Buffalo Ave., N. E.
Marian Byl.....941 Leonard St., N. E.
William Paul Byl.....19 Barnett St., N. W.
Robert J. Card.....142 Sweet St., N. E.
Daniel Champion.....34 Quimby St., N. E.
Donald Chandler.....3347 E. Beltline, N. E.
George Chapin.....949 Beechwood St., N. E.
Norman Roy Chesebrough.....127 Page St., N. E.
Edward Douglas Cole.....2153 Riverside Dr., N. W.
Shirley Ann Cole.....545 Woodridge St., N. E.
Betty Louise Conant.....1342 Cedar St., N. E.
Marilyn Cooper.....535 Prospect Ave., N. E.
Jack Corcoran.....1143 Beechwood St., N. E.
Robert Corwin.....1316 Calgary St., N. E.
Theo Edna Cross.....530 Carrier St., N. E.
George Datema.....831 Aberdeen St., N. E.
Beverly Jean Davey.....3623 Briggs Blvd., N. E.
Marilyn Jean Davis.....206 Page St., N. E.
Betty Ann Decker.....1255 Lewison Ave., N. E.
Margie De Korte.....334 Spencer St., N. E.
William Laverne De Mann.....1515 Portland Ave., N. E.
Freda C. De Mayer.....3-Mile Rd., RR. 4
Marjorie Ann De Neut.....217 Dale St., N. E.
Lorraine Ann Dent.....359 Ann St., N. E.
Bruce H. Doane.....957 Arlington St., N. E.
Ann Teresa Downs.....345 Carrier St., N. E.
Dorothy Ethel Drake.....321 Knapp St., N. E.
William H. Driftmeyer.....1521 Cole Ave., N. E.
Joyce Noreen Dryer.....3643 Briggs Blvd., N. E.
Virginia Ann Duiker.....RR. 4
Laurin Dunn.....1319 Diamond Ave., N. E.
Edna Jean Dykstra.....2132 Rowe Ave., N. E.
Delores Marie Ellis.....425 Sweet St., N. E.
Richard Leander Endres.....2116 Eastern Ave., N. E.
Robert Andrew Felix.....1338 North Ave., N. E.
John Edward Fitzgerald.....35 Mason St., N. W.
Rosalee Ann Fleet.....430 Fernando St., N. E.
Virginia Margaret Fleming.....230 Dale St., N. E.
John Lawrence Foster.....2041 Houseman Ave., N. E.
Joyce Marie Fritch.....34 Travis St., N. W.
Jack Jay Funk.....124 Palmer St., N. E.
Marie Ann Gabrick.....31 Mathews Ct., N. E.
Marva Joanne Garter.....Marne
Geraldine L. Gasar.....2600 Coit Ave., N. E.
Bernice Irene Geldhof.....1342 Lafayette Ave., N. E.
Doris Ann Geldhof.....1223 Penn Ave., N. E.
William John Gibson.....1234 Diamond Ave., N. E.
Norma Gilman.....207 Page St., N. E.
Joanne Clare Glaser.....465 Julia St., N. E.
Arden Joyce Goethal.....2430 Belknap Ave., N. E.
James William Gorski.....251 Palmer St., N. E.
Phyllis Goudzwaard.....1251 E. Leonard St.
Jay Gravelyn.....1335 North Ave., N. E.
Charlene Marie Gray.....26 Travis St., N. W.
Roger M. Haadsma.....2421 Miller Ave., N. E.
Dolores Ann Hall.....313 Page St., N. E.
Gerald Hall.....948 Oaklawn St., N. E.
Ruth Lorraine Hall.....1856 Coit Ave., N. E.
Paul Hallstedt, Jr.....1401 Union Ave., N. E.
Robert L. Hamacher.....327 Florence, N. E.
John Albert Harding.....2314 Plainfield Ave., N. E.
Joan Joyce Harker.....1238 Lewison Ave., N. E.
Sylvia Bernice Harris.....432 Fernando St., N. E.
Betty Irene Haynes.....1364 Penn Ave., N. E.
Luanne Hendricks.....557 Shirley St., N. E.
Richard Bruce Hoag.....1640 Plainfield Ave., N. E.
Richard James Hoekstra.....3 Mile Rd., N. E.
Russell Andrew Hogendyk.....1255 College Ave., N. E.
Richard Henry Hoggatt.....923 North Ave., N. E.
Denman David Holcomb.....10 Palmer St., N. W.
Donna Mae Holtrop.....3726 Coit Ave., N. E.
Robert Burton Hoogerhyde.....221 Travis St., N. E.
Joyce Ann Hoover.....1749 Cusick Pl., N. E.
Helen Irene Houser.....3423 Briggs Blvd., N. E.
Lois Jean Huttenga.....29 Palmer St., N. E.
Merrill Ivey.....2132 Duiker Ave., N. E.
Joan Jackson.....3110 Plainfield Rd., N. E.
Virginia Rose Kasteline.....1144 Paris Ave., N. E.
Helen Rita Katz.....2329 Foster Ave., N. E.
Edward Neal Keegstra.....3900 Coit Rd., N. E.
Eugene Richard Kelly.....1252 Plainfield Ave., N. E.
Nancy Virginia Kietzman.....971 Four Mile Rd., N. E.
Eljean Kinsley.....1936 Lafayette Ave., N. E.
Eldon Jay Klaassen.....417 Curtis St., N. E.
Geraldine S. Klap.....501 Marywood Dr., N. E.
Eugene B. Koskey.....1349 Leonard St., N. E.
Lane Daniel Laraway.....1123 Fuller Ave., N. E.
Patricia Jane Leese.....632 Aberdeen St., N. E.

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Jerome Kelvin Lewis.....857 Dayton St., N. E.
Joyce Emily Lewis.....746 Leonard St., N. E.
Robert Carl Loomis.....2540 Foster St., N. E.
Shirley Lutz.....1211 Bradford St., N. E.
Bonnie Jean McAllister.....232 Dean St., N. E.
Pauline Ruth McIntyre.....1750 Monroe Ave., N. W.
James Edwin McLean.....1224 Diamond Ave., N. E.
Gertrude Meek.....1901 Costa Dr., N. E.
Charlotte Florence Meinke.....71 Diamond Ave., N. E.
Dorothy Mae Melpolder.....430 Marietta St., N. E.
Lou Anne Mieras.....2028 Rowe Ave., N. E.
Frank Milane.....451 Norwood Ave., N. E.
Jack Phillip Miller.....2148 Houseman Ave., N. E.
Marilyn Esther Miller.....Marne
Patricia Miller.....150 Melbourne, N. E.
Howard Ivan Miner.....17 Elmwood St., N. E.
Lois Minor.....1036 Oaklawn St., N. E.
Patrick Thomas Mitchell.....530 Marywood Dr., N. E.
Arlene Mol.....2788 Knapp Rd., N. E.
Barbara Jane Montgomery.....905 Oaklawn St., N. E.
Edward Mott.....137 Graceland St., N. E.
Betty Joyce Nederveld.....767 Sinclair Ave., N. E.
James Nortier.....724 Marietta St., N. E.
Glen Ogden.....2032 Rowe Ave., N. E.
Yvonne Jeanette Olsen.....1026 Beechwood St., N. E.
Gerald Olson.....54 Quimby St., N. E.
Mary Lee O'Neill.....R. R. 4, Plainfield Rd.
Marilyn Ann Otte.....543 Shirley St., N. E.
Glen Arnold Ozinga.....1940 Lafayette Ave., N. E.
Russell G. Parker.....2629 Miller Ave., N.W.
Alberta Pelletier.....531 Quimby St., N. E.
Elma Donna Pervorse.....1250 Carlton Ave., N. E.
Evelyn A. Peterson.....122 Caledonia St., N. E.
William Leroy Pillsbury.....2829 Coit Ave., N. E.
Starling C. Post.....2107 7-Mile Rd., Comstock
Warren E. Raatz.....1143 Arlington St., N. E.
Dale Racey.....6 Ann St., N. W.
Albert Rasikas.....831 4-Mile Rd., N. E.
Harley G. Rawson.....727 Eleanor St., N. E.
Patricia Anne Raymer.....1125 Covel Rd., N. W.
Clyde Rennie.....1044 East Leonard
Dawn Elaine Retersdorf.....745 Coit Ave., N. E.
Phyllis Richardson.....889 Arlington St., N. E.
Gerald Riemer.....1319 Portland Ave., N. E.
Jane Robinette.....459 Knapp St., N. E.
Donna Leora Robinson.....441 Elmwood St., N. E.
Nancy Louise Robinson.....3316 College Ave., N. E.
Mary Louella Rockwell.....516 Brenner St., N. E.
William Richard Roest.....815 College Ave., N. E.
Mary Jessie Rohr.....746 Eleanor St., N. E.
Jack Warren Rose.....3550 Briggs Blvd., N. E.
Doris Mae Rosel.....114 Ann St., N. E.
Martha Harkness Russell.....480 Eleanor St., N. E.
Carl Schlientz.....2937 Swensberg Ave., N. E.
Polly Maxine Schulte.....1859 Aberdeen St., N. E.
Francis Jean Sharpe.....505 Julia St., N. E.
Theodore Siereveld.....134 Palmer St., N. E.
Gerald Phillip Smith.....258 Ann St., N. E.
Rhoda Smitter.....1557 North Ave., N. E.
Ruth Smitter.....1557 North Ave., N. E.
Donald Ralph Snyder.....901 Coral, S. W., R. R. 5
Marian Lucille Spangenberg.....615 Knapp St., N. E.
Douglas Spanogle.....610 North Park St., N. E.
Elnora Mae Stadt.....256 Travis St., N. E.
Robert Allen Stadt.....2096 Dean Lake Rd., N. E.
Bette Louise Steed.....2030 North Fuller Ave., N. E.
Suzanne Stegmier.....2331 Oakwood Ave., N. E.
Gordon Clifford Stone.....1118 Hollywood St., N. E
Marijane Stoutjesdyk.....1335 Union Ave., N. E.
Gerald Robert Stratton.....312 Sweet St., N. E.
James Gordon Stryker.....247 Dale St., N. E.
Marcia Ruth Stuit.....479 Cheshire Dr., N. E.
William F. Sturrus.....502 Greenridge Dr., N. W.
Danny Sullivan.....707 Spencer St., N. E.
John Robert Ten Have.....3515 Briggs Blvd., N. E.
Monte Ross Thompson.....1013 Wealthy St., S. E.
Alta Ruth Thomson.....2137 Eastern Ave., N. E.
Judy Andres Toft.....1123 Arlington St., N. E.
Donald F. Trauger.....223 Burr Oak St., N. E.
Joan Frances Tuffs.....2907 Coit Ave., N. E.
Martha Tuinstra.....1551 Houseman Ave., N. E.
Jay Tuttle.....2820 Edgewood, N. E
Roger H. Van Assen.....2613 Miller Ave., N. W.
Geraldine A. Vander Breggen....3088 O'Brien Rd., S. W.
Leslie F. Vander Jagt.....775 East Leonard St.
Albert Jay Vander Laan.....249 Burr Oak St., N. E.
Lois May Vander Molen.....722 Graceland St., N. E.
Corrine Joan Vander Stolp....840 Lafayette Ave., N. E.
Muriel Vander Wall.....433 Curtis St., N. E.
David Storey Van Dyke.....2844 Belknap Ave., N. E.
Bernadine N. Van Ess.....5 Palmer St., N. E.
Joan Marie Van Ess.....843 Lafayette Ave., N. E.
Ruth Mary Van Houte.....1653 Aberdeen St., N. E.
John Van Loon.....1357 Penn Ave., N. E.
James B. Van Oflen.....2040 Dawson Ave., N. E.
Dale Frank Van Stee.....353 Quimby St., N. E.
Arthur Sidney Veltman.....2351 Plainfield Ave., N. E.
Ardith Louise Wall.....311 Spencer St., N. E.
Jean Warrenton.....1138 Hollywood St., N. E.
Charles Douglas Weeks.....1320 College Ave., N. E.
Robert Wells.....120 Montrose St., N. E.
Arthur Herbert Westveer.....1263 Ford Ave., N. E.
Betty Jean Whip.....436 Cedar St., N. E.
Eleanor Marie Wildey.....1133 Arlington St., N. E.
Vernon James Wilkins.....1300 Penn Ave., N. E.
Mary Vivian Wilson.....731 Eleanor St., N. E.
Jack R. Winters.....2026 Prospect Ave., N. E.
Ingeborg Christine Wolff.....1813 Wilbert Ave., N. E.
Lois Wright.....427 Leonard St., N. E.
Betty Ann Wynsma.....1213 Leonard St., N. E.
James Yost.....2456 Dunnigan Ave., R. R. 4

Seniors Elect, Class of '49

Bill Vance
Dorothy Vader

Jim Hines
Edgar Higgins

The Junior Class had a very busy year. The annual Junior Amateur Hour with Norma Cambier and Don Courtwright as Mistress and Master of Ceremonies, was a big success.

The Junior Revue, with Margaret Trieber as production manager and Elaine Anderson directing the dances was enjoyed by all. The Junior-Senior Prom came as a climax to a pleasant year.

Junior Class officers were: Bill Vance, President; Jim Hines, Vice-president; Dorothy Vader, Secretary; and Edgar Higgins, Treasurer.

Miss Mildred Tenhaaf, Junior session room advisor, was a helpful and enthusiastic sponsor for Junior activities.

Eleventh Grade

Elaine Anderson
Vern Anderson
Roger Andre
Don Antcliff
Janet Ascherman
Jack Babb
Judy Bailey
Valerie Burtt

Bub Bassett
Dick Beckwith
Herb Beem
Delores Beerthuis
John Bekker
Joan Benedict
Elaine Benham
Phyllis Billock

Jackie Blaauw
Laura Blandford
John Boger
Connie Boluyt
Marian Boerma
Bonnie Boss
Phil Bowers
John Bazen

Ray Brandt
Pat Bresnahan
Don Bridges
Andy Broekema
Charlene Brown
Jackie Brown
Nelson Brown
Carl Bruce

Guess what?
Karl Bruder
Dave Burkholder
Richard Burkle
Verna Brunswick
Carol Buursma
Paul Byl
Barbara Berrevoets

Norma Cambier
Don Carpenter
Rosemary Chance
Gloria Chatman
Pat Cherry
Bob Chlebek
Cliff Collet
Phyliss Corlin

Dick Courter
Don Courtright
Joan Cowell
Jim Crosby
Glena Mae Cummir
Judith Davey
Gladys De Graff
Bill De Lange

Robert De Lange
Marge De Maagd
Bob Despres
Bill De Korte
Edith De Maagd
Ruth De Nise
Tom De Ryke
Roger De Vries

Marjorie DeWaard
Don De Young
Lyle Dornan
Dorothy Drotar
Eleanor Dunn
Margaret Eckel
Richard Elenbass
Esther Faasse

Bonita Freas
Bud Gauger
Mary Gormley
Jim Gravelyn
Dorothy Gilde
Dolores Glade
Harry Glutting
Cliff Goeree

Andrew Goodwin
Mary Guiles
Barbara Gurd
Don Haadsma
Ray Hoggatt
Bob Hall
Marilyn Hull

Barbara Harroun
Don Hathaway
Mary Heering
Robert Henke
Bill Hieshetter

Edgar Higgins
Jim Hines
Margaret Hoeve
Bob Hogeboom

Eleventh Grade

Charles Hornbach
Pete Houk
Berta Houston
Melvin Hughes
Helen Huber
Nancy Jenkins
Mary Jane Jessup
Bernadine Johnson

David Johnson
Max Johnson
Ruth Johnson
Oleta Kauffman
Pat Keegstra
Marian Keiser
Margaret Keiser
Mary Keiser

Joan Holcomb
Paul Keithley
Richard Kelly
Bruce Kennedy
Ed Kerjes
Gordon Ketelaar
Julia Keyes
Donna Koon

Bill Kosten
Don Kozminski
Betty Kremer
Wonda Kryger
Shirley Kryger
Joan Kurtz
Beatrice Laansma
Billie La Botz

Betty Lacey
Julianne Ladewig
Adeline Lamberts
Jack Lane
Jim Laraway
Howard Lettinga
Don Liefbroer
Joan Lingenfelter

Carol Livingston
Richard Locke
Keith Longberg
Don Long
Freda Lucus
Mary Lynhan
Roger Mawby
Abby Mayhew

Delores McKee
Richard McLean
Audrey McMaster
Bill Meadema
Lorraine Melpolder
Marian Meyer
Richard Mieras
Pat Miller

Wayne Miller
Robert Misner
James Mohrig
Marcella Mol
Richard Morgan
Gene Morrison
Elizabeth Musser
Charles Nussdorfer

Bill Ochsankehl
Marilyn Olson
Dorothy Otte
Melvin Otte
Bob Paasche
Beverly Paule
Diane Perry
Judy Phillips

Berdeen Pigorsh
Tom Pische
Patty Poley
Virginia Powell
Richard Powney
Maxine Pratt
Burnace Prince
Jean Proos

Shirley Racey
Richard Rademaker
Joan Reed
Marilyn Remes
Art Riewald
Bill Rice
R. J. Romkema

Don Roodvoets
Louis Rosendall
Dick Rozelle
Rita Rosel
Helen Rumbaugh

Roger Scheele
Shirley Schriber
Louis Schrouder
Joan Sulman
Katherine Smith

Eleventh Grade

Carol Smith
Don Snyder
Lois Springfield
Bill Stadt
Don Stegman
Dan Stevens
Herb Stouten
Kay Stratton

Verna Stratton
Jim Stoutjesdyk
William Stroh
Edgar Strong
Bonnie Stuart
Joan Stuit
Barbara Sutton
Marvin Swart

Janet Sweet
Jack Swets
Barbara Tanenbaum
Pat Tiegardin
Jack Teitsma
Bill Terkeurst
Gary Terpening
Richard Terpstra

Alice Thompson
Roy Thompson
Duane Tortellet
Shirley Trampen
Margret Treiber
Jack Truckle
Arlene Twiss
Roger Uecker

Dorothy Vader
Joyce Van Akkeren
Bill Vance
Norma Vander Brock
Florence Vander Honing
Maxine Vander Honing
Carol Vander Laan
Lois Vander Laan

Marcia Vander Meer
Margaret Vander Molen
Jim Vander Stel
Paul Van Gorp
Marian Van Hoven
David Van Kammen
Ann Van Overloop
Larry Van Overloop

Shirley Van Portfliet
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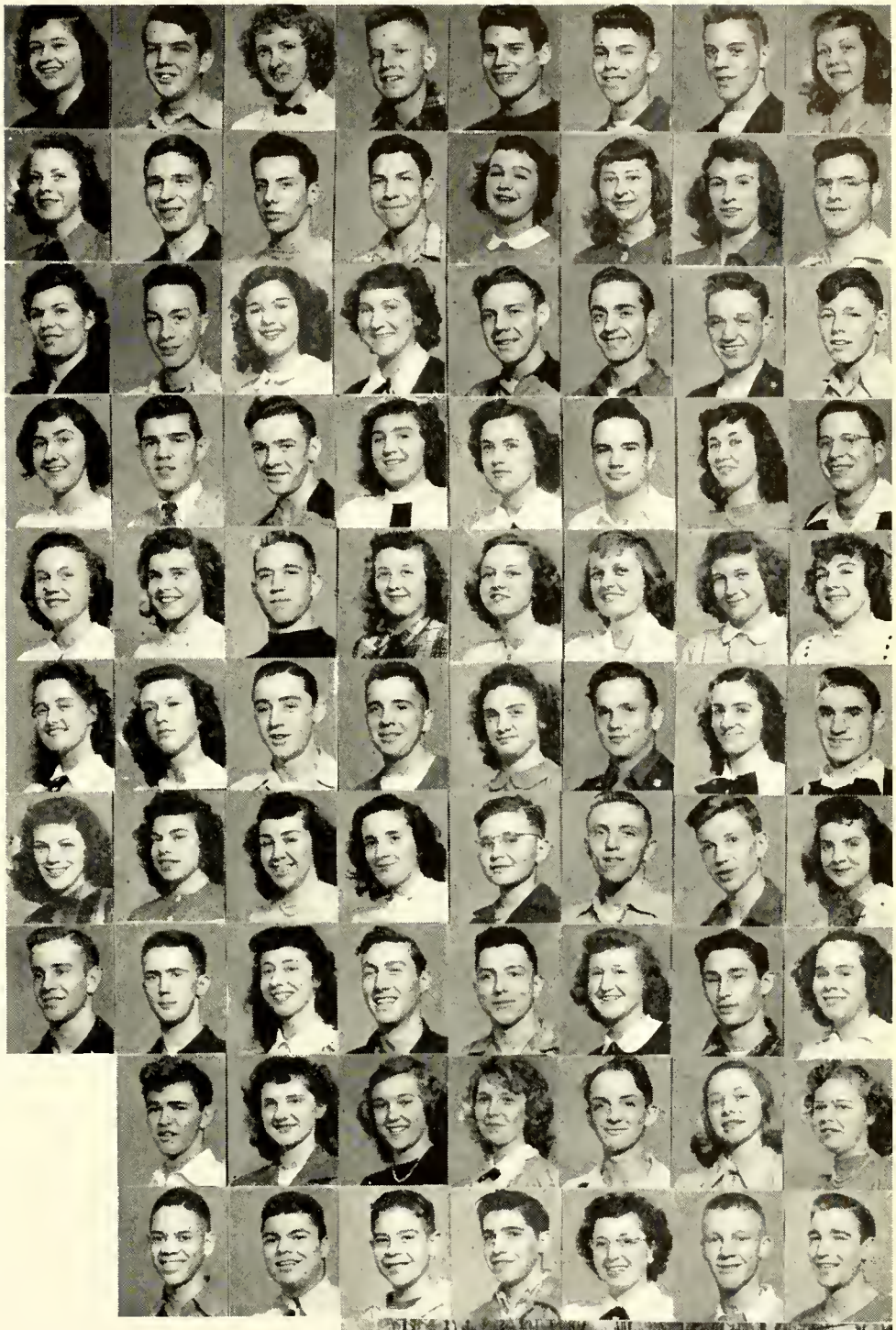

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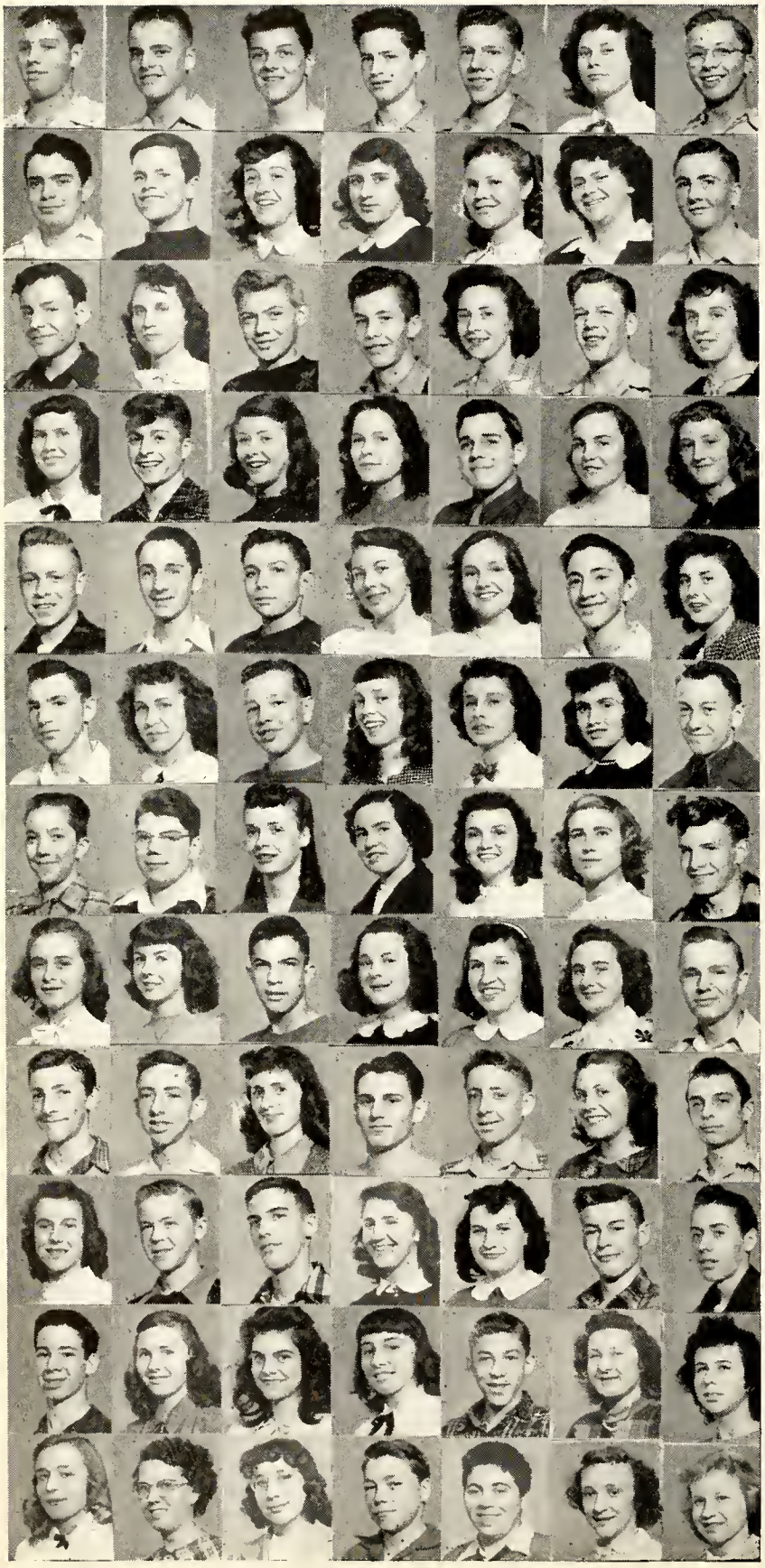

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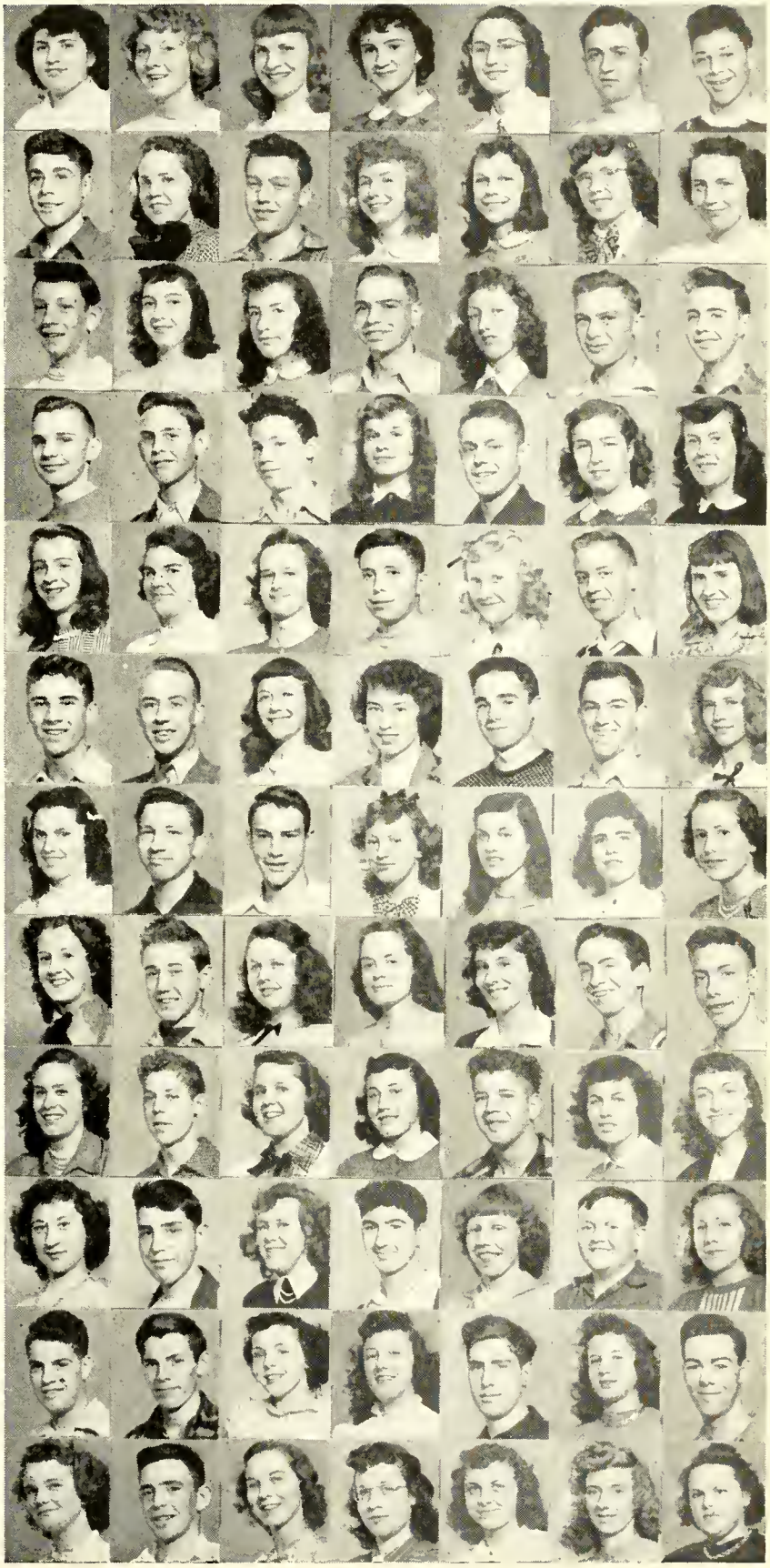

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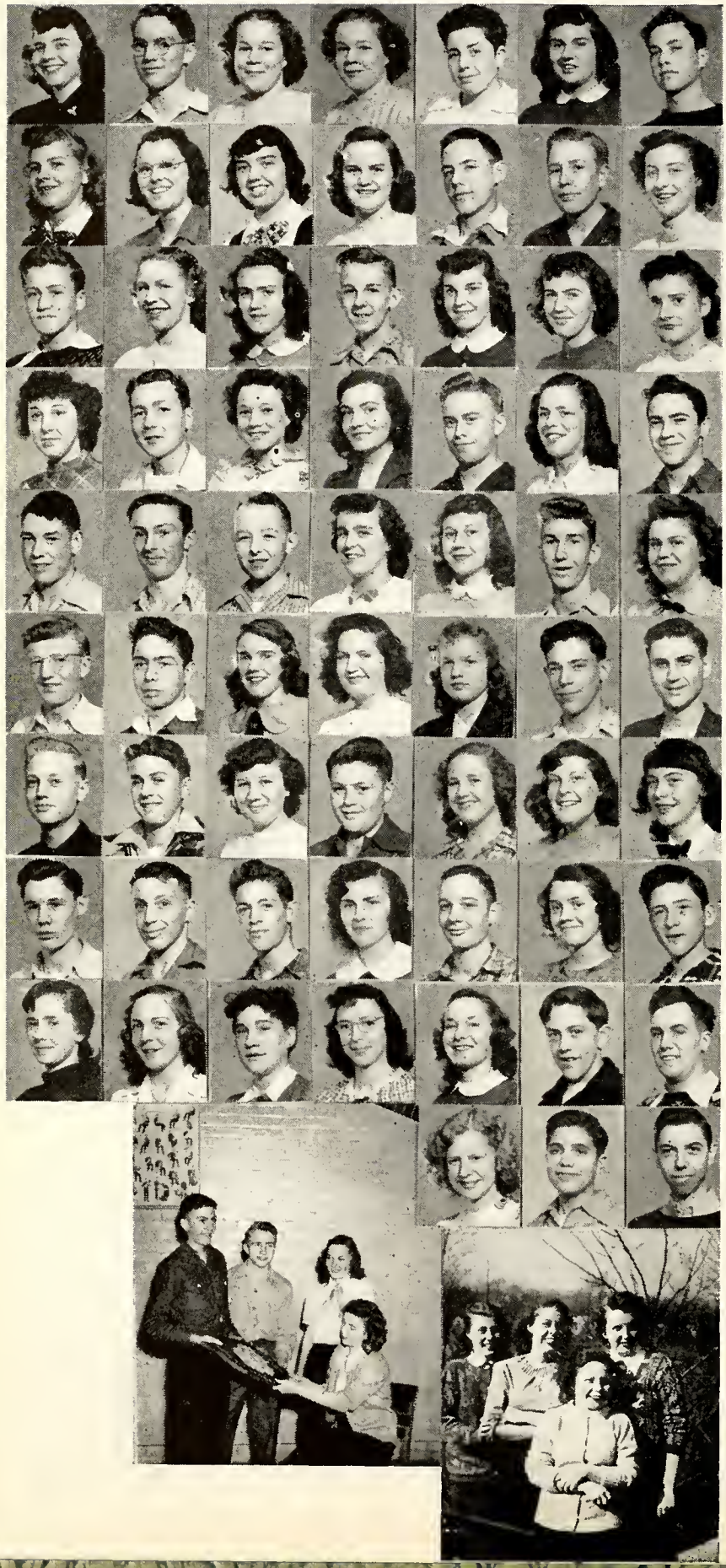

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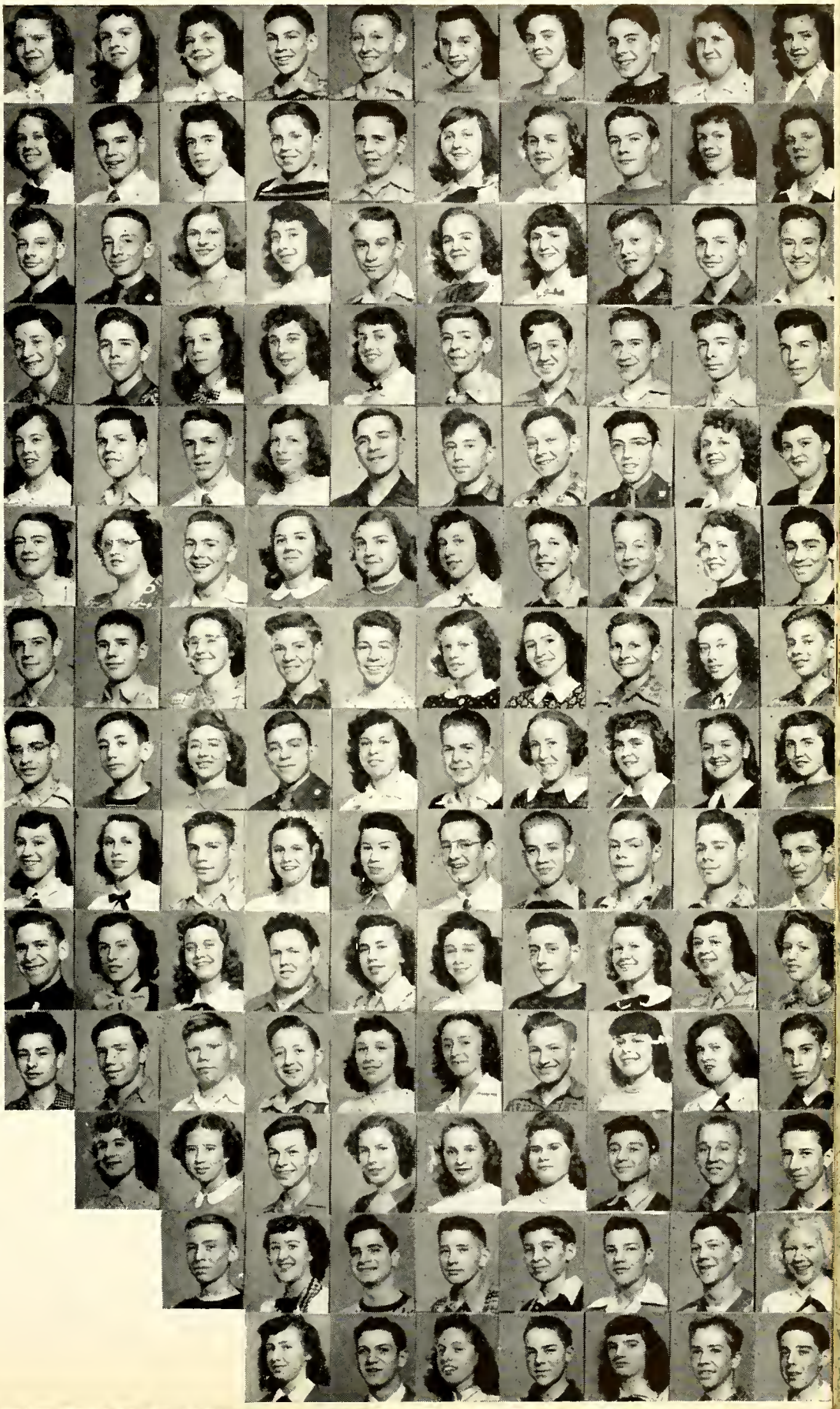

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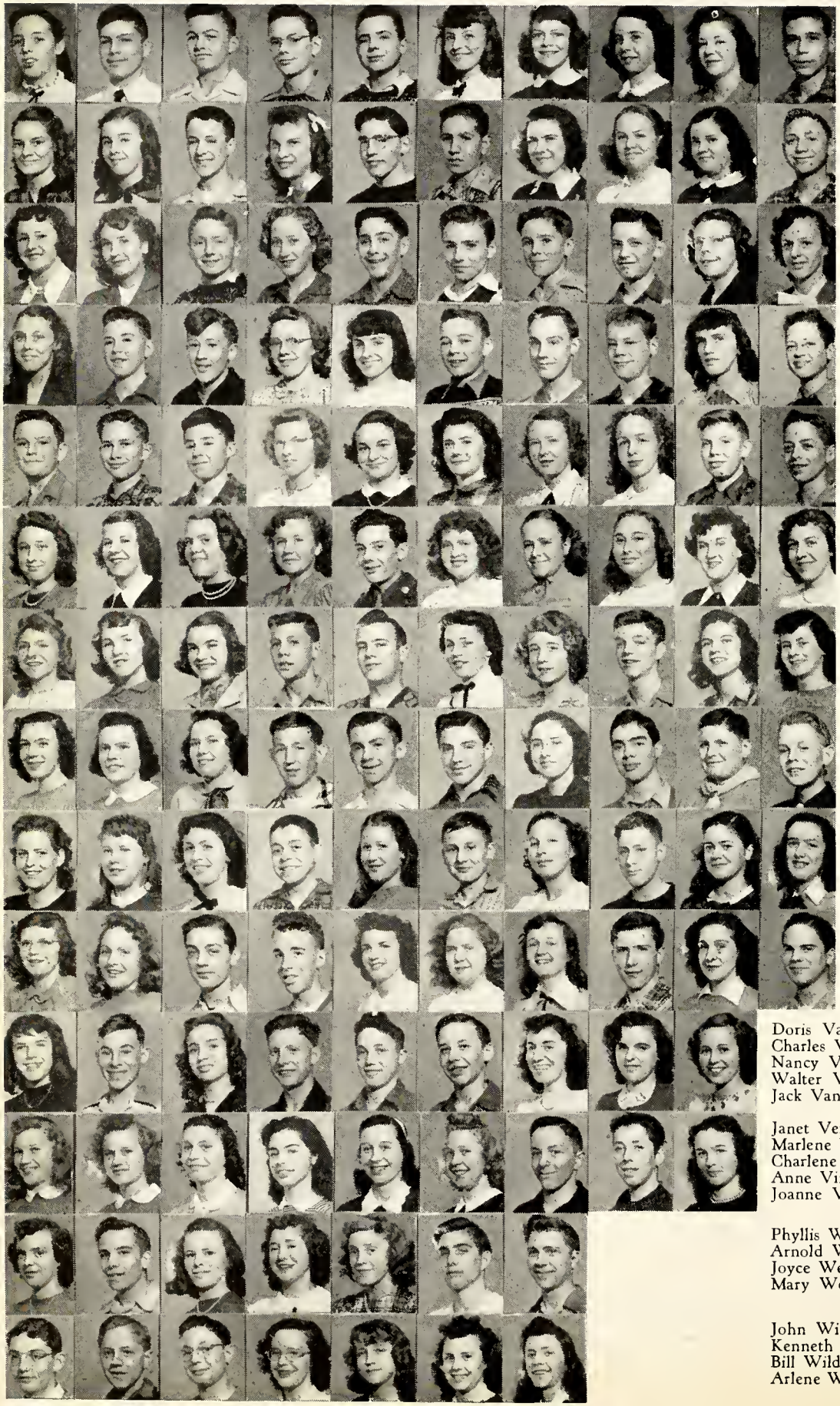

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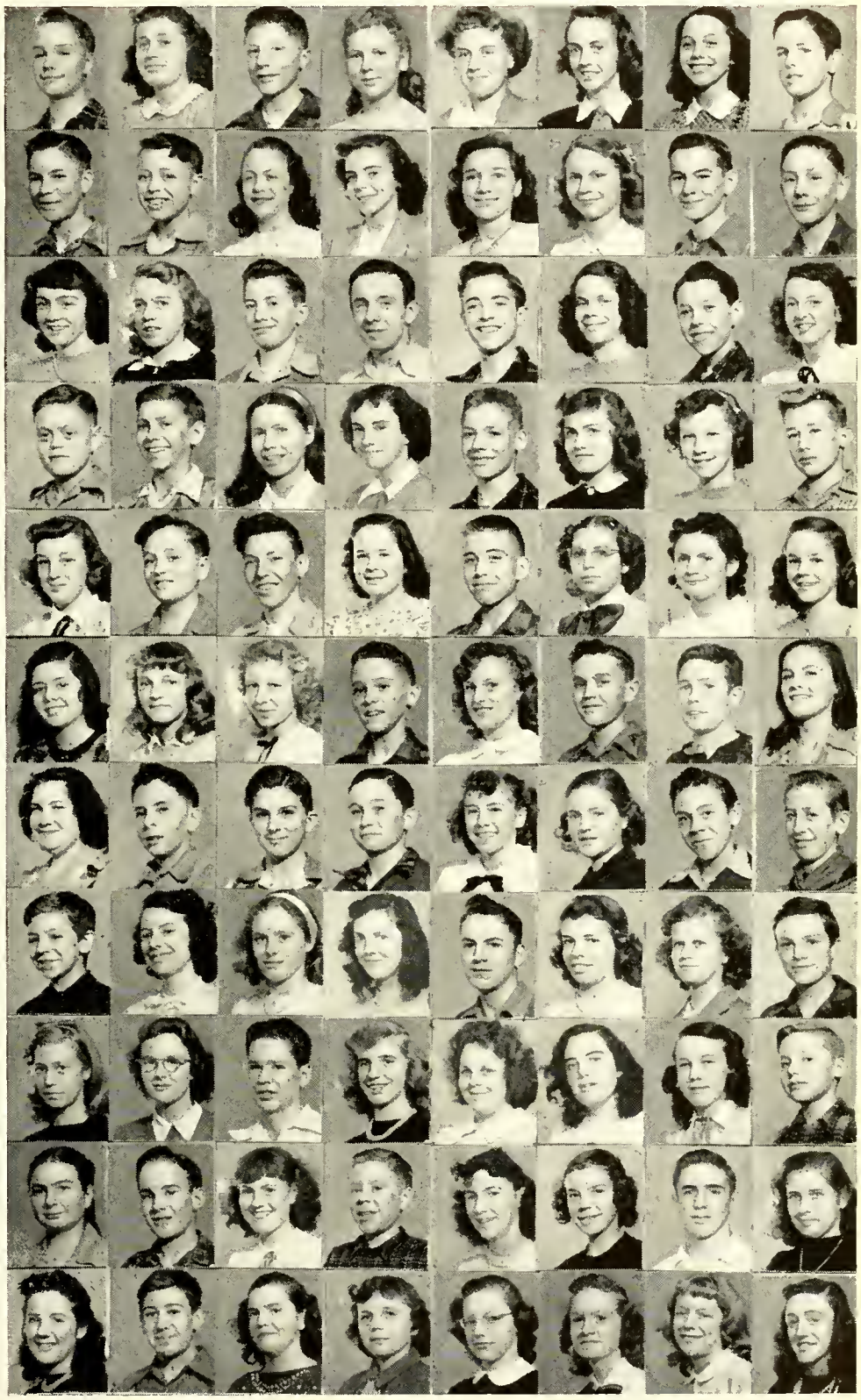

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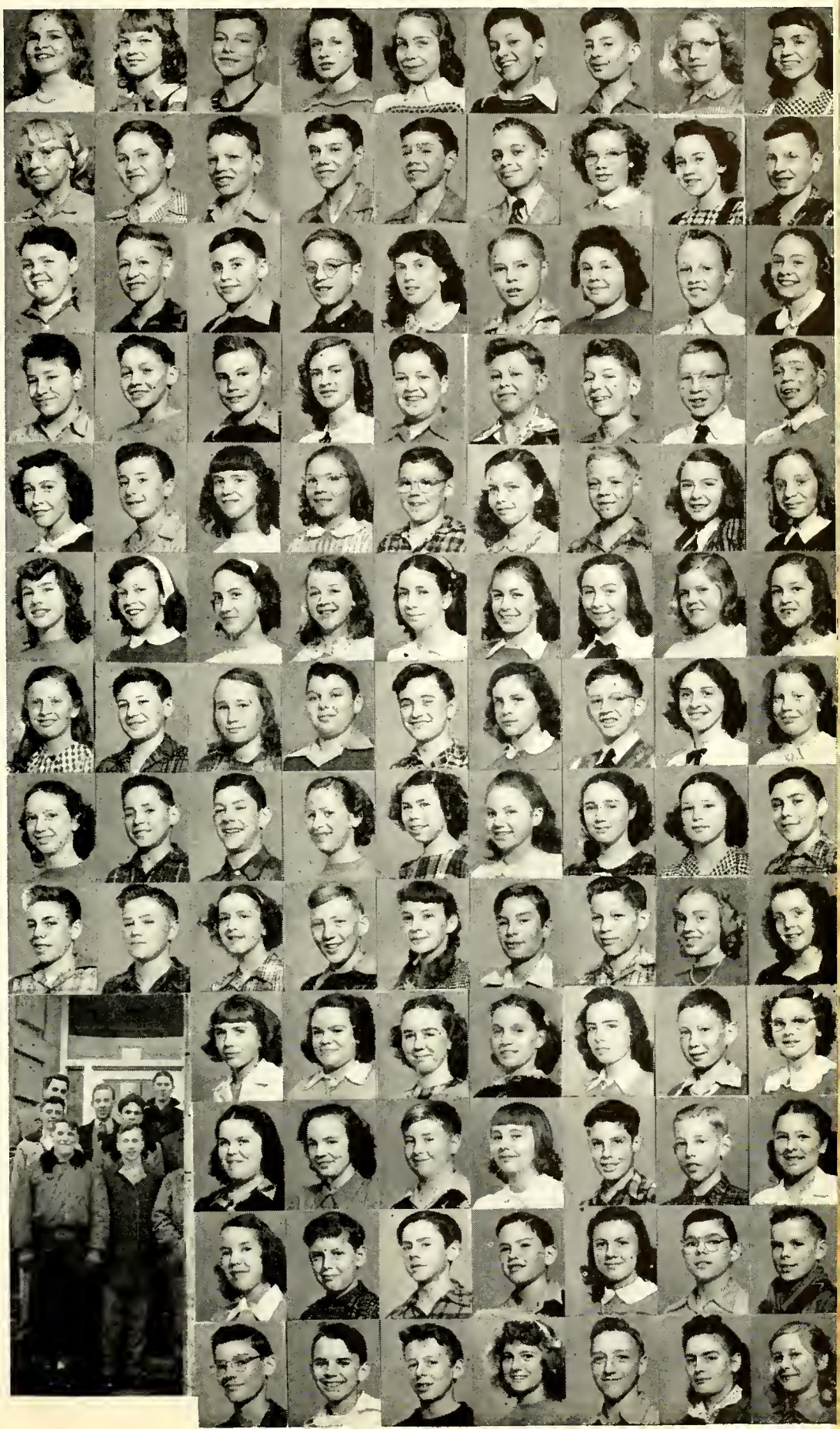

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Bill White
Jack Wigent
Diane Williams

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Larry Wyman
Sandra Yokom
Sally Rennie
Norma Van Slooten
David Warren

Above picture shows the final curtain call of one night's performance.

Pictures to the right of this page are as follows: Ist: Mrs. Little waiting for Mr. Little to come down stairs. 2nd: Awaiting the arrival of Henriette, the little southern girl. 3rd: Mr. Little and Norman come to blows.

The two lower pictures shows the two sets of love birds in the play.

"The Fighting Littles"

On March 11 and 12, the Senior class of "48" presented their play, "The Fighting Littles" by Caroline Francke. It was in three acts and was adapted from the novel of the same name by Booth Tarkington.

The Littles are a family with opinions of their own and temperment to express themselves. Each Little has his own idea of the way life should be lived and all of them say so making it a very amusing comedy.

Members of the cast were as follows: Alma, Marge De Neut; Olita, Marva Garter and Gerry Gasar; Filmer, Dan Brown; Ham Elders, David Van Dyke; Mr. Little, William Sturrus and James Stryker; Goody, Ruth Van Houte and Arden Goethal; Mrs. Little, Pat Leese and Mary Wilson; Antoinette, Barbara Montgomery and Nancy Kietman; Cuckoo, Jane Robinette; Screwball, Phyllis Richardson; Henriette, Marilyn Miller and Donna Lee Robinson; Norman Peele, Eugene Koskey; Dicky Harpeddle, Bruce Doane; Mrs. Harpeddle, Judy Toft; and Miss Pologa, Bonnie McAllister.

Miss Lois Conrad directed the play while Mr. Joel W. Lowe conducted the music. Assistant to the director was Beverly Davey.

Above Left: Bill Gorski as the high priest with the worshippers.

Upper Right: The shepherds looking at the star.

Lower Right: The shepherds and the kings kneeling before the cradle of the Christ Child, as the Celestial Choir of angels sings a lullaby.

Gloria

Gloria, the Christmas pageant, presented each year by the students of Creston High School, is a combination of music and drama. It is as much a part of Creston as the teachers and student body themselves.

The part of the prophet priest was played by William Gorski while the other leads were taken by Evelyn Anderson as Elizabeth; Gerald Vander Voord as Saradon of Chaldea, Bruce Doane as Judah. Others in the cast were Richard McLean os Obed; Helen Katz, the Madonna; Glen Osinga, Joseph; Howard Miner, Jack Foster, James Stryker, the Kings; R. Ramacher, W. Vance, R. Zoerner, Soldiers of Herod; and Helen Houser, Eleanor Stadt, and Phyllis Goudzwaard as the Heavenly Messengers.

The dramatics department was under the direction of Miss Lois Conrad and the instrumental music was under the direction of Mr. Joel W. Lowe. Mr. Frank B. Goodwin was vocal music director.

Songs were sung by the Celestial Choir and the Adoration Choir. At the intermission Beverly Davey sang "Ave Maria."

Above: The Finale.

Pictures to the left of this page are as follows: 1st: A few "Top Hats and Tails." 2nd: The bride and groom really do it! 3rd: The boys from the Winegar Woiks.

Lower: The little old lady hasn't much longer to wait.

Junior Revue

The annual Junior Revue was presented on April 7, 8, and 9 by the Junior Class of '48. This year there were close to thirty numbers on the program, including several line dances, solo dances, skits, and vocal numbers.

The skits were different because of their surprise endings and extreme shortness. The success and most of the credit goes to the Junior Class students, who by working together as a team, make the Revue one of the best ever to be put on at Creston.

To Miss Tenhaaf, Junior Class Advisor, Miss Lois Conrad, director of skits, and Elaine Anderson, dance instructor, goes the credit for a grand job well done.

Above right: Gerry Gasar, Richard McLean on the set of "Some Words in Edgewise."

Upper Left: Ardith Anderson, Judy Toft, in "The Purple Door Knob."

Lower Left: Marilyn Miller, Martha Russell, Suzanne Stegmier, Marva Garter, Nancy Kietzman, and Gerry Klap in "The Rehearsal."

The audience cheered once more this year as the students of the dramatics classes presented their three one-act plays. The plays were under the direction of Miss Lois Conrad, head of the Dramatics Department.

The "Rehearsal" by Christopher Morley was the first one-act play to be presented by the third hour dramatics class. In the leading rolls were Marva Garter as Freda, Marilyn Miller as Christine, Gerry Klap as Barbara, Nancy Kietzman as Gertrude, Martha Russell as Sonia, and Suzanne Stegmier as Marjorie.

Gerry Gasar played the part of the talkative woman in the play, "Some Words in Edgewise" by C. O. Kennedy. Richard Mc Lean played the part of Mr. Snodgrass. This play was presented by the sixth hour dramatics class.

Mrs. Bartholomew played by Ardith Anderson, Amanda Dunbar played by Jane Robinette, and Viola Cole played by Judy Toft were the leading rolls in "The Purple Door Knob" by W. P. Eaton. This play was the second one-act play presented by the sixth hour dramatics class.

M. Jessup, R. Van Houte,
M. De Neut, H. Shipman, F. Lucas

Forensics and Debate

The district Forensics contest was held at Central High School on April 15. Three persons from Creston placed in this contest. They were: Marge De Neut, who placed second in extempore speaking, talking on the subject "America's Need for Air Power,'Mary Jane Jessup, placing third in oratory with the speech "Forward Improvement," and Harriet Shipman, who gave the oratorical declamation, "The Power of Books" and placed third.

Others from Creston who competed were Ruth Van Houte in oratory, talking on "And Time to Enjoy It," and Freida Lucas giving the dramatic declamation "Dawn." Miss Lois Conrad is the coach for Forensics.

For the first time in four years the Creston High Debaters went into the State Debate Contest. The question that was discussed was, Resolved: The Federal Government should require arbitration of labor disputes in all basic American Industries. Although the students didn't win enough debates to qualify them for the finals, they received much good experience and had a lot of fun debating with other students from Battle Creek Central, Muskegon Heights, Grand Rapids Central, and Ionia.

During the second semester the students held debates with Wyoming Park, Ottawa, and Holland among others. These debates were not judged but offered helpful experience for the debaters.

Row 1: P. Richardson, M. Russell, L. Schantz, J. Jackson. Row 2: Mrs. Glenn, D. Perry, V. Powell, I. Wolff, B. Benham. Row 3: B. Gorski, M. De Neut, S. Schriber, J. Loman, J. Hines.

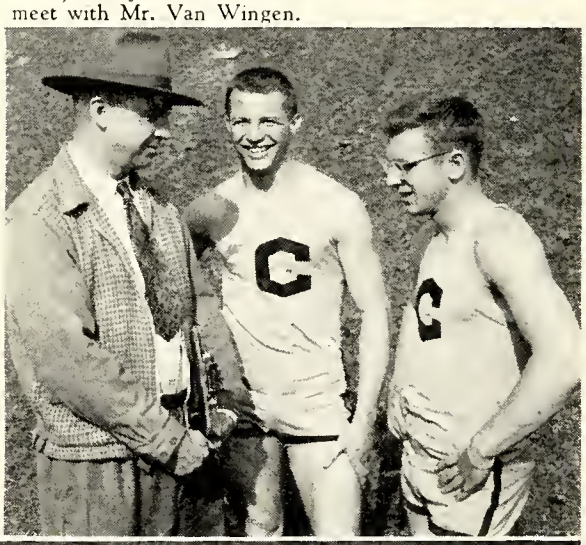
Row 1: B. Doane, B. Vogt, D. Creed, N. Chesebrough. Row 2: T. Boylen, D. De Young, J. Lewis, C. Fischer, J. Babb, C. Bruder, J. Wilson. Row 3: Coach Schrump, D. Hathaway, B. Stroh, L. Dunn, J. Vander Veen, J. Lane, R. Van Assen, D. Walsh, D. Chandler.

Our baseball captains, Bruce Doane and Bob Vogt, confer with Mr. Schrump.

Baseball and Track

The 1948 Polar Bear nine had hopes for a very successful season. Around eight returning lettermen, Coach Schrump molded a team that proved itself to be a threat in City League circles.

Captains Jack Rose and Al Rasikas talk over their first meet with Mr. Van Wingen.



The Creston High track team of '48 was rated the leading contender for the City League Title. Coach Van Wingen's star-studded crew did their best to live up to this reputation.

Row 1: B. Roest, J. Gravelyn, M. Boylen, J. Rose, A. Rasikas, R. King, F. Billock, G. Weaver. Row 2: W. Miller, D. Felix, D. Kelly, B. Visner, S. Blackburn, B. Krueger, E. Antrim, G. Stegmier, Row 3: G. Stone, E. Klaassen, I. Graves, F. Churchill, D. Fuerst, J. Laansma, J. Schneider, D. Kanode. Row 4: D. Stevens, R. Wilkins, J. Besmer, R. Harroun, P. Glutting, S. Elkins, J. Brink, C. Joppe, D. O'Brien. Row 5: H. Beem, Coach Van Wingen, R. Ronkema, G. Terpening, C. Nussdorfer, G. Albrechtsen, E. Keegstra, E. Andrews.

TENNIS. Row 1: B. De Mann, P. Jackson, R. Kippen, J. Dooge, F. Crosby, A. Goodwin. Row 2: R. Barrows, J. Tramper, J. Waltz, R. De Vries, Coach Haken.

Our coaches. Row 1: E. Frederickson, H. Schrump, W. Wood. Row 2: R. O'Malley, G. Powers, W. Haken, M. Van Wingen.

Golf and Tennis

Early in the season, prospects looked good for our tennis team. Mr. Haken molded his team around his four returning lettermen, De Vries, De Mann, Crosby, and Goodwin.

The Creston High golf team, coached by Mr. Wood, looked promising and had hopes for a successful season of City League competition.

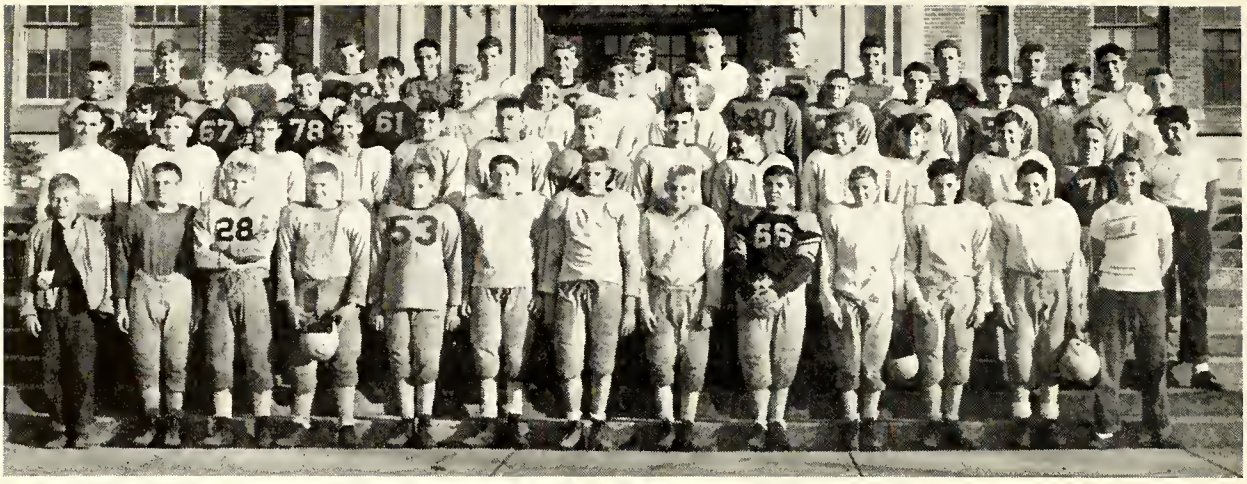
Cheerleaders B. Ter Molen, J. Waltz, and L. Dornan.

GOLF. Row 1: M. Otte, R. Thompson, J. Bekker, D. Kozminski. Row 2: Coach Wood, P. Van Gorp, B. Kosten, R. Andree, R. Dodge, B. Ter Molen.

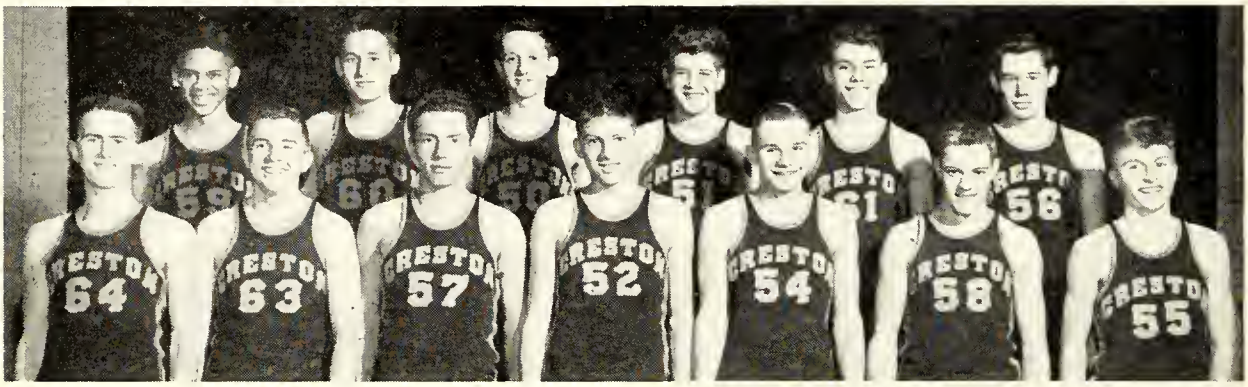
Golf Coach Walter Wood

Golf captain Don Kozminski

Reserves



FOOTBALL RESERVES. Row 1: T. Lane, K. Rosendall, B. Kuieck, D. Creed, B. McKenzie, B. Cupp, H. Stouten, V. Jarrett, B. Koch, G. Buss, B. Haynes, B. Harris, D. Wilson. Row 2: Mr. O'Malley, E. Williams, L. Linden, D. Fuller, G. Weaver, C. Nussdorfer, T. Boylen, L. Dornan, D. Allchin, J. Besmer, F. Slikkers, D. Silcox, J. Snyder, P. Orphan. Row 3: R. Vander Maas, J. Vander Veen, J. Gerbert, C. Fischer, E. Andrews, D. Kanode, R. De Graff, D. Harrington, P. Jackson, P. Van Gorp, J. Van Houten, J. Leese, B. Whitcomb, D. Johnson. Row 4: J. Fuller, I. Graves, B. Visner, J. Middleton, R. Carpenter, C. Thompson, L. Abbott, R. Scheele, A. Watson, D. Stevens, R. Morgan, J. Kurth, A. Goodwin.



BASKETBALL RESERVES. Row 1: J. Waltz, P. Van Gorp, B. Stroh, D. Kippen, P. Jackson, H. Stouten, T. Boylen. Row 2: R. Wilkins, D. Liefbroer, J. Dooge, H. Newberry, D. Stevens, B. Visner.

These peppy cheerleaders are A. Mol, J. Toft, P. Bresnahan, M. Barnum, and M. Hall. Not pictured is J. Van Akkeren.

THIRD TEAM BASKETBALL. Row 1: T. Lane, D. Creed, D. Langford, D. Fuerst. Row 2: G. Buss, J. Laansma, J. Freeville, D. Schollaart, J. Van Houten. Row 3: P. Champion, D. Fuller, J. Brink, F. Freeville, G. Ozinga, Student Coach.

Florence Palmer

Ronald (Barney) Bootstein

Good luck to
a swell friend.
Betty Pembrook

Lots & lots of
luck to a great
that I owe a
couple of nickels
Love,
Lois Coates
(5 on bust)

To One of My Favorite
Piano Pupils.
Verice R. Stilwell

Dear Donna
Have a lot
of fun at Creston
in the years to
come. Evagene
Hargrove

Best of luck
to a swell kid
Grace Collins
'52

Best wishes
Mrs Otto Wood
(Great Organist)

To a very cute girl who will be one of the best in Senior years.

Don Creed
'46

Hail Long Live
Bill Hall

Bonny Mae Quay

Dear Donna —
The Best of Luck
to ~~a~~ dear choir
student.

Judy

Bill Gerke
'48

Happy school days.
To a very satisfactory
daughter
Dorothy Lentz Scharphorn.

Dear Donna
Best of luck and
take good care
of "B."
(B.K.)

Dear Donna,
It's an honor to
have your name
on my page.
Keep up the memories of
Lincoln High.
Best
wishes for your future life.
A friend,
Jim Gerke.

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